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A Year's Service Ends for 'Pete'

Sad-eyed and wearing an Army cap, "Pete," 18-month-old English setter owned by Charles Melendy of Reading, comes home after a year's service in the K-9 Corps, having been given an honorable discharge because of canine ailments. On hand to meet the returning "vet" was Olive Lester, who welcomes "Pete" with a hug.

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Huge Air Battle In Reich Skies

LONDON, March 6 (AP)—U. S. heavy bombers in "very strong forces" bombed Berlin today in the second American blow on the German capital. The German radio declared one of the war's great-

ALLIES CRUSH NEW BLOW BY NAZIS AT ANZIO

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, Naples, March 6 (AP)—Allied beachhead forces have repulsed another small German attack, it was announced today in a communique which also said that bad weather sharply reduced operations on all fronts in Italy.

Despite continuous rain and low clouds, fighter bombers attacked shipping off the Yugoslav coast and gun positions on the Fifth Army front without loss.

Except for one enemy attempt to plunge into the beachhead lines, ground operations were confined chiefly to routine patrolling on all fronts. Eighth Army troops threw back a minor German attempt to probe their lines.

Nazi Anzio Casualties Have Reached 24,000

THE ANZIO BEACHHEAD, Italy, March 6 (AP)—German attempts to drive the Allies off this foothold below Rome have cost them casualties totaling about 24,000 authoritative sources said today.

Of these 3500 have been captured by Allied beachhead troops and a high percentage of the remainder were killed, Allied artillery having taken an especially heavy toll.

An American officer who got back to Allied lines after being in German hands said, "I saw German bodies piled up like cordwood while a common grave was dug for them."

12,000 British Miners Strike

LONDON, March 6 (AP)—Twelve thousand Monmouthshire coal miners struck today over a wage dispute, adding another grave threat to fuel production already said to have been affected seriously by an unofficial "slow-down strike" by thousands of other pit men.

The Monmouthshire walkout stemmed from the same grievances voiced by the miners whose slowdown tactics brought drastic action from the ministry of fuel.

Japs Lose 30 Planes To Stilwell's Forces

CHUNGKING, March 6 (AP)—American Mitchells of the 14th Air Force, escorted by fighters, destroyed from 30 to 50 enemy aircraft in the air and on the ground in a raid on Kingshan airbase in the northern part of Hainan island Saturday, a communique from Lieut.-Gen. Stilwell's headquarters said today.

The Mitchells also struck the airbase at Chenzhai in northern Thailand today and destroyed eight twin-engined and one single-engined aircraft on the ground.

Acts on Soldier Vote

CONCORD, N. H., March 6 (AP)—Blood today issued a proclamation for New Hampshire's first special session of the State Legislature in eight years, to be convened March 21 to act on votes for servicemen and women.

est air battles had raged over 350 miles from the Netherlands coast to Berlin.

The first official announcement said only that "targets in the Berlin district" were hit, without identifying them further or giving other details.

This surprise follow-up to Saturday's "icebreaker" raid, by one formation of bombers, was a striking demonstration of the Eighth Air Force's might, for it was the seventh operation of the heavy bombers in eight days.

Heavy fighter escorts accompanied today's formations on the round trip of more than 1100 miles from British bases.

Thus Berlin, already seared by massive RAF night assaults, was brought under destructive hammer blows falling by day and night.

Presumably the American daylight attacks are aimed at precision destruction of selected targets escaping the RAF's saturation raids.

A German broadcast declared that the great air battle had been raging since 11:30 this morning over northwest and central Germany, extending from the Zuider Zee as far as the Hevel Lakes near Berlin.

NAZIS EXPECTED ATTACK

The Americans took a direct course to Berlin, the Germans said, and "during their incursion were continually pressed by the strongest forces of German fighter and destroyer aircraft, and were forced to ever fresh evasive maneuvers by the fire of hundreds of anti-aircraft batteries."

"The attack had been expected by German anti-aircraft defenses after the first two American daylight thrusts had failed. The U. S. bombers flew in tight formations, protected on both sides by fighters and long-range fighters flying at higher altitude," the Berlin radio continued.

"The impression that the greatest possible fighter protection by U. S. Army and RAF fighters was given in order to accomplish the thrust to Berlin this time was prevailing when the formations flew over the western frontier."

The heavy bombers raced to Berlin as Allied medium and fighter-bombers attacked northern France—where Prime Minister Churchill said the Germans were preparing rocket and Robot-plane installations—for the fifth successive day. Last night RAF Mosquitos attacked western Germany, without loss.

NAZI PLANTS TO BE ERASED

In London, Dingle M. Foot, Parliamentary secretary of the ministry of economic warfare, told a luncheon that when resistance in the air is overwhelmed "the destruction of German war industry will follow on a far greater scale than achieved in the last few weeks."

He said the intensified bombing would be more than "a policy of attrition designed to wear down German war potential over a long period—it represents the essential preliminary to invasion of Europe."

Last Wednesday was the only time in the last eight days, that American heavy bombers have not gone out. Successively, they bombed the Pas De Calais area, Brunswick, southwest and northwest Germany, and yesterday hit Nazi air bases in southern France. The bombers and fighters yesterday knocked down 27 enemy planes.



RUSSIA—Big new offensive by the Russians gains up to 35 miles (black area), routs 12 German divisions and sweeps into southern Poland, at the approaches to the rail station of Volochisk.

Yanks Rush Men To Admiralty

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, Southwest Pacific, March 6 (AP)—More American troops and supplies are being poured onto Los Negros island in the Admiralty, against indications the Japanese may make another strong attempt to recapture Monote airdrome.

Gen. MacArthur said today mopping up of the island was in progress and additional supplies and reinforcements for the first cavalry division were constantly being landed. It was reported the enemy also was renewing his strength after his costly defeat Saturday.

JAPS LAND TROOPS

There was evidence of eastward movement of Japanese troops from the garrison at Lorengau on Manus Island, adjacent to Los Negros on the west, a headquarters spokesman said. This led to the belief that another battle was in the making.

Sporadic fighting flared when the Americans dashed with enemy groups which survived the fierce battle Friday night and Saturday, when the Japanese unsuccessfully attacked the cavalrymen's airdrome defenses again and again.

In this effort the Japanese left more than 700 dead, MacArthur said.

Three thousand Japanese have been killed or wounded since the landing, MacArthur revealed, as against American losses of 61 dead and 244 wounded.

Allied aircraft bombed Japanese installations west of Monote without interception, and American destroyers shelled islands at the entrance of Sader harbor at Lorengau, destroying gun positions.

RABAU BLASTED

More than 100 Solomon-based Army and Navy bombers hit Rabaul and Corsair fighters over Rabaul, however, drew up eight Japanese planes. The Navy pilots knocked down one enemy plane and probably another, and destroyed or damaged 14 barges and small craft in the bay.

Reds 60 Miles From Rumania; Nazis in Trap

LONDON, March 6 (AP)—The Red Army swept close today to the vital Odessa-Lwow railway, main artery supplying the Germans in the Dnieper bend, in a powerful new

western Ukraine drive which, Moscow announced, has routed 12 Nazi divisions and liberated more than 500 communities in two days.

A Soviet communique said the Russians were battling at the approaches of Volochisk on the important line, 60 miles north of the Rumanian frontier. Severing of the railway would force the Nazis to rely on poor roads and one-track railways, or on the sea.

Twenty salvos from 224 guns thundered in Moscow in celebration of the new victories, announced by Premier Marshal Stalin in a special order of the day. Stalin disclosed Marshal Zhukov was commanding the First Ukrainian Army in the drive, replacing Gen. Vatutin, who was reported ill.

NAZI LINES BROKEN

The announcements said at least 6000 Nazis have been slain in the push, which cracked German defenses on a 112-mile front and surged forward up to 31 miles. Joining with previously won positions in old Poland, the new line gave the Russians a salient from Dembrovits to Belozorka—a line about 165 miles long.

The German communique yesterday admitted breakthroughs and a Berlin broadcast said Russians were attacking with at least 12 to 14 rifle divisions and three tank corps—more than 200,000 men.

The Soviet bulletin also announced that far to the north, where the Reds have established a bridgehead across the Narva river in Estonia south of Narva, the Russians improved their positions. The communique made no mention of the fighting at Pskov.

SINK 2 TRANSPORTS

Moscow also reported Russian torpedo and attack planes had sunk two transports, aggregating 14,000 tons, and a 700-ton minesweeper in a German convoy in the Barents Sea and had damaged a 700-ton transport.

The great Ukrainian drive, the communique said, liberated 14 large towns as the Russians advanced southwestward from the Shepetovka area, then swept down upon the railroad from Shepetovka and Vishgorodok, 21 miles northeast of Ternapi.

First Lady Visits Wounded in Florida

MIAMI, Fla., March 6 (AP)—Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt toured two important hospitals and exchanged greetings with hundreds of wounded and ill soldiers during a whirlwind tour yesterday.

Starting at Palm Beach, she visited Ream General Hospital, where there are many wounded men, then flew to Miami in an Army plane and greeted hundreds more at the Army Air Forces Hospital at Coral Gables.

Barkley Absent At F. D. Parley

WASHINGTON, March 6 (AP)

—With Senate Majority Leader Barkley absent, congressional leaders met with President Roosevelt today for the first time since Barkley resigned his post in protest against a presidential veto of a tax bill.

Barkley, who immediately was re-elected majority leader, was directly invited to the legislative conference at the White House, a presidential aide asserted.

Thomas D. Blake of the White House staff said he called Barkley's home and learned that the Senator was "away for a rest" and would not return until tomorrow or Wednesday.

40,000 Radios for Britain

LONDON, March 6 (AP)—About 40,000 American radio sets have been received in Britain, many under lend-lease, but distribution to stores has been held up pending price regulations.

Millions on Strike In Nazi-Held Italy

AT THE ITALIAN FRONTIER, March 6 (AP)—Reports reaching the Swiss frontier today estimated that 3,000,000 to 6,000,000 workers were on strike in northern Italy, threatening to disrupt the whole industrial and economic organization in German-controlled Italy.

The Nazi-controlled Rome radio had denied there were strikes, but Fascist newspapers disclosed they were spreading.

In Milan and Turin, decrees were published warning workers to

return to their jobs by March 8 or face the "severest" penalties, including deportation to Poland.

In Milan, where an extraordinary tribunal was convened today to help meet the situation, the Fascists were compelled to form crews to operate street cars and buses.



DR. ALAN R. MORTIZ AND DR. FRANK DUTRA
State Pathologist (left) Waits to Testify at Noxon Trial

Dr. Hunt Called In Noxon Trial Surprise Move

By PAULINE WARREN

Boston American Staff Writer

PITTSFIELD, March 6—In a move that surprised the defense, Dr. George P. Hunt, Noxon family physician and key State witness, was brought back to the stand today as the trial of Atty. John F. Noxon, alleged murderer of his mentally defective son, was resumed.

Dr. Hunt, first physician to view the body of six-months-old Lawrence Noxon, was presumed to have given all the testimony required if him. He had spent a day under examination by the State and a day under cross-examination. But Dist. Atty. Charles R. Alberti placed him on the stand today in a sudden move just before recess.

POLICE CAPTAIN QUIZZED

Before this, former Gov. Ely, chief of defense counsel, resumed his questioning of Police Capt. Camille L. Marcel, which was interrupted Thursday by the illness of a juror.

Ely concentrated on the electric "trouble" cord with which Noxon is accused of having electrocuted his mentally defective son, and which he admitted burning.

It was brought out that Noxon, when under early questioning by police after the boy's death, voluntarily mentioned having discussed electrocution accidents

Pin Money

WASHINGTON, March 6 (AP)—In a detailed report that cited such items as the replacement cost of 249,600 burned-out electric light bulbs and a bill of \$75,000 for mowing lawns, Rep. Engel (R.) of Michigan asserted today the Army's Pentagon building was operating at a net loss of \$3,150,454.95 annually.

Unless changes are made, Engel said in a report to the House, at the end of 50 years the building, now the world's largest office structure, will have cost \$232,522,700.

With William Whittlesey, utilities magnate.

Therein, it had been testified previously, the two men discussed fatal accidents as the result of contact with household lighting fixtures. Ely, in his cross-examination of Marcel, stressed the voluntary aspect of Noxon's recital of the conversation.

Hub Air Gunner Outrides Death

By AUSTEN LAKE

SOMEWHERE IN ENGLAND (by air transport)—George W. Agiasotellis used to deliver milk for Hyman Schick of the Watertown Dairies. He rose every morning in his home at 277-R Walnut st., Newtonville, and yawned sleepily to work.

Then he'd go his rounds in a rubber-tired wagon, gumshoeing up to people's porches with his clinking bottles, and leave a couple of grade A quarts here, and a PT of medium cream there.

Life was a little dreary, and George sometimes wished for more stimulating work, like that of a brakeman on the railroad, or being a cop.

But Fate's wheel has whirled in such a dizzying way that now George



CORP. GEORGE
BAILEY
Cranston, R. I.

SERG. ERNEST
S. WATSON, JR.
Brockton

PFC. JOHN R.
CARRIGAN
Waltham

These three soldiers are among the many Austen Lake has met and written about in "Berlin-Bound With New England's Own." They were mentioned in a previous installment.

Lake Finds Infantry Morale High

Austen Lake, Boston American war correspondent in Britain with New England's Berlin-bound fighting men, finds morale among the infantrymen high as they train endlessly for the big assault on Nazi-occupied Europe.

Lake writes in tomorrow's article of his searching series that the men find little ways to relieve the monotony and declares that "the American soldier is an intense loyalist."

Read Tuesday's Boston American for this exclusive story telling of the conditions faced by your loved ones. Also read the messages by boys from Shirley, Brighton, Quincy, Stoughton, Cambridge, Rockland, Somerville, Taunton, Worcester, Everett, Wakefield, Salem, Waltham, South Boston, Arlington, Chelsea and many other New England cities and towns.

Lynn Mystery Death Probed

Henry Dicks, 59, of Green st., Lynn, died at Lynn Hospital today as the result of a fractured skull, which prompted police to probe the possibility of murder.

Dicks was found semi-conscious on Sheridan st., Lynn, yesterday.

Dicks told police he had been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Carlton L. Vantour of Sheridan st. They carried him to the Vantour home, where he was placed in bed. He became unconscious, was removed to the hospital and died before he could explain his injuries.

The Vantours reported he had left their home shortly after midnight, not long before he was found on the sidewalk nearby.

Blackstone Fire Kills Two Sisters

EAST BLACKSTONE, March 6—Two small sisters suffocated today in the bedroom of their Elm st. home when fumes from a fire in a kitchen closet seeped into their room.

While the tragedy was taking the lives of Winifred Boxold, 5, and Christine, 4, their mother, Mrs. Roy Boxold, was working on a war plant swing shift.

Two brothers, James, 15, and Charles, 12, sleeping in another bedroom, awakened by the smoke, carried their sisters into another bedroom to try to revive them.

The girls had tried to escape, but had collapsed a short distance from the bed.

The father, Roy Boxold, works and lives in Providence.

State Detective Joseph Burke said the fire was due to careless disposal of cigarette butts.



Lieut. Hugh
J. McCarthy
Jr.



Lieut. Robert
W. Watts, Jr.



S/Sgt. George W. Agiasotellis, Newtonville, wishes he could be a milkman again and go back to his trucking rounds. For he is a staff sergeant and ball-turret gunner on the Flying Fortress "Canadian Club" and has jammed more sensation into his life than there are eggs in a spawning trout.

Me is an angular, olive-skinned youth with an habitual air of surprise, and as he sat in the Interrogation Hut in his quilted flying clothes—fresh in from his last raid—he told a tale that surpasses a movie plot.

For, except by a whimsey of luck, George Agiasotellis would now be a prisoner in Germany, if nothing worse—as seven of his bomber mates are.

For never is the line between

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Widow Shoots Man, Turns Gun on Self

Mrs. Elizabeth Tremblay, 42-year-old widow, of Enfield st., Jamaica Plain, was rushed to City Hospital in dying condition early today with a .38 calibre bullet wound in her chest, while police questioned members of her family, and Henry Fisher, 49, a boarder who was slightly wounded in the mysterious shooting at her home.

After questioning the woman's four children and Fisher, Sgt. Roy L. Monihan of the homicide squad said Mrs. Tremblay had recently been under treatment for a nervous disorder.

The boarder, a former Boston police officer, until two weeks ago, employed as a guard at a Hyde Park defense plant, told police he was asleep on a divan in the dining room when he was awakened to see Mrs. Tremblay standing over him with his gun. She fired at him twice, he said, one bullet grazing his temple.

Police said Fisher, who had a license to carry the revolver, had hidden it with a box of cartridges in Mrs. Tremblay's bureau about a week ago, unknown to her.

Awakened by the shots, Pvt.

Stanton Tremblay, the wounded woman's oldest son, home on an Army furlough, rushed into the room, he told authorities but before he could reach her she turned the gun on herself and fired into her chest.

Ralph, 15, another son, turned in a citizen's alarm to summon police. Her two daughters, Alice, 23, and Lorraine Tremblay, 20, told police they slept through the shooting.

The Weather

LOCAL — Fair and somewhat warmer today. Increasing cloudiness tonight and Tuesday, with light rain by Tuesday afternoon. Not quite so cold tonight, with the lowest temperature about 30 degrees on the coast and about 25 in interior suburbs. Gentle winds

today. Increasing winds Tuesday.
Sun Rises—7:11 a. m.
Sun Sets—6:40 p. m.
High Tide—10:27 p. m.
Height of Tide—8 ft., 4 in.
MAXIMUM N. E. TEMPERATURES
Boston 20 Concord 18
Ranger 10 Hartford 16
Burlington — 6 Providence 18
Warmest day this date, 70 in 1894.
Coldest day this date, — 8 in 1872.
Only 14 days to spring.



AROUND GRAB BAG—Jean McNeil, Red Cross worker, looks on amused as (l. to r.) Pfc. Art Lauer, Pvt. Clarence Heatwole, Pvt. Lester Landrum and Pvt. Walter A. Bochenski of Fall River take their pick of magazines from home. They're in the Anzio beachhead area of Italy.

International News Photo

Vet Heads Back Voting Right to Fighters at 18

As Rep. Charles J. McCaffrey of Brockton prepared to file a bill today seeking a constitutional amendment to lower the voting age to 18 in Massachusetts, veterans' organizations



HARRY H. WOODRING
Ex-War Secretary Here

Woodring Pushes Fight On F. D. Here

After conferring with 70 prominent New England Democrats to formulate the "Stop Roosevelt" campaign program, Harry H. Woodring, former secretary of war, scheduled a press conference today to report on progress of the "American Democratic National Committee," which, he said, plans to "recover control of the Democratic Party."

A New England chairman will be named soon as the first step towards organization of state, city and town committees aimed to elect convention delegates who oppose 16 years in the White House for Roosevelt," Woodring announced.

"At the 1940 convention the strategy of indecision left everybody disorganized," he said. "We had no effective way to express ourselves, although we were then against the third term. This group will enable calling of caucuses regardless of control of the convention. We'll have an effective organization working in one direction, instead of 48 groups, each going its own way."

"Our real fight is against the men of the 'Palace Guard,'" he added "the men around the President who are a sinister influence to our government."

Asked if he had any candidate in mind to oppose Roosevelt, the Kansan asserted:

"The New Deal has only one candidate. We have any number of capable men. Why, right here in New England there are such likely candidates as former Gov. Joseph B. Ely, Sen. David I. Walsh and former Gov. Brann of Maine."

Clare Luce 'Adopts' English Girl, 11

NEW YORK, March 6 (AP)—Rep. Clare Boothe Luce (R.) of Connecticut has "adopted" an 11-year-old English girl, Joy Agnes Ogier, through the Foster Parents Plan for War Children, Inc., Mrs. Edna Blue, Plan executive chairman, announced here today.

Joy, from the English Channel Isle of Guernsey, now is living at one of the 41 children's colonies maintained by the Plan. Parents who "adopt" war children pay for their support at a colony.

of another New England state united to obtain balloting privileges for 18-year-old servicemen.

In Providence, commanders of all Rhode Island veterans' groups enthusiastically endorsed the proposal of the Hearst newspapers to franchise America's 18-year-old fighting men.

A united front for immediate action on the proposal was presented by Dept.-Comdr. George E. Withington, Jr., of the American Legion; Dept.-Comdr. Eugene U. Messier of the Veterans of Foreign Wars; Dept.-Comdr. Alfred Crofts of the Disabled American Veterans; Dept.-Comdr. Henry J. Card of the Spanish War Veterans; National Comdr. Archie Greenberg of the Jewish War Veterans, and Vice-Comdr. Paul Robin of the State Jewish War Veterans.

WITHINGTON IN FAVOR

Endorsing the proposal, Comdr. Withington, of the Legion, said, "I am entirely in sympathy with the suggested program to permit youths of 18 to 21 years to vote. American boys have demonstrated again their traditional ability, ingenuity and power to face conditions calling for sound thinking and decisions."

"Accordingly it is my belief that they are entitled to the privilege of casting ballots for their local and national leaders."

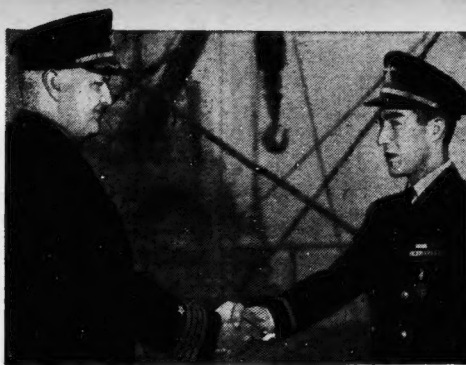
Declaring that "youths able and willing to fight certainly should be permitted all privileges of government," Comdr. Messier of the V. F. W. said, "those between 18 and 21 should be granted the privilege of registering their choice of candidates to any elective office."

PROVE JUDGMENT

Comdr. Crofts of the D. A. V. declared: "I am in accord with the proposal to extend voting privileges to youths 18 to 21 years. My experience in the last war showed me that youth faced situations calling for speedy and wise thinking, and in practically every instance, their decisions were sound."

Comdr. Card of the Spanish War Veterans, said, "There is no reason why youths 18 to 21 should not be permitted to vote. The fact that they are eligible for military service, and have shown the desire to fight for our country proves they are capable of making decisions on which even their lives might depend."

A joint statement backing the proposal was issued by National Comdr. Greenberg of the Jewish War Veterans, and Vice-Comdr. Robin of the State Jewish War Veterans.



CAPT. C. C. RICHARDSON AND ENSIGN JOHN J. DUGAN
Milton Hero (Right) Awarded Navy-Marine Corps Medal

Navy Decorates 5 Bay State Heroes

Five Massachusetts men have been awarded decorations for conspicuous and heroic conduct in far-flung theaters of the war, First Naval District headquarters announced today.

Ens. John Joseph Dugan, USNR, 26, of Briarfield rd., Milton, received the Navy and Marine Corps Medal for heroically pushing overboard from his ship a burning box of grenades.

Lieut. (jg) Edward Bourgeault, USNR, 27, of Lafayette sq., Haverhill, won the Distinguished Flying Cross in recognition of his bravery in aerial combat while protecting a convoy in North African waters.

Lieut. Albert Fisher Moore, Jr., USNR, 27, of Sheffield rd., Melrose, was awarded the Navy and Marine Corps Medal for risking death from fire and explosions to help save a merchant ship in New Caledonia.

Boatswain John Nardone, USNR, of Harvard st., Medford, won the Navy and Marine Corps Medal for heroism as a Shore Patrol guard during the explosion of ammunition on a pier in New Caledonia.

Chief Carpenter's Mate Ralph Edward Wallace, USNR, of Locust st., Woburn, was awarded the Navy and Marine Corps Medal for diving under water and clearing the propellers of landing craft during enemy bombing attacks in the Sicilian invasion.

New Ceiling Prices For Used Cameras

WASHINGTON, March 6 (AP)—The Office of Price Administration, seeking to eliminate "extravagant" prices for used cameras and other photographic equipment, today established a new system of retail ceilings for such items.

The new regulation, effective April 6, provides specific dollars-and-cents maximum prices for approximately 200 models of still cameras and numerous types of movie cameras, projectors, enlargers and exposure meters. For all other materials a formula for computing ceilings is provided.

PENNSY GOP SEES VICTORY; DEMS FOR F. D.

By WILLIAM K. HUTCHINSON

HARRISBURG, Pa., March 6 (INS)—Republican leaders of Pennsylvania are confident today their party nominee for President will carry the Keystone State next November, while the Democrats pin their hopes on President Roosevelt retaining his popularity of 1936 and 1940.

The Republican delegation is going to the Chicago convention uninstructed. It is friendly to Gov. Dewey, ready to vote for Gov. Bricker, but unalterably opposed to Wendell Willkie.

The Democrats favor 16 years in the White House for Mr. Roosevelt.

That, in brief, is the political outlook in Pennsylvania, eight months before the election.

Gripsholm Off With 711 Aboard

LISBON, March 6 (AP)—The Swedish exchange liner Gripsholm headed westward across the Atlantic today with 711 North and South Americans bound for home after a long period of internment in Germany and enemy-occupied countries.



OPA AUTO CHECKUP—Inspector Paul S. Field of the OPA checks up on the gasoline coupons of Jeanette Winchell of West Newton, hostess of Northeastern Airlines . . . as she drove to work today. The OPA is especially interested in finding if motorists are writing their car numbers on coupons.

International News Photo by Harnad

OPA MEN FIND UNENDORSED GAS COUPONS

More than 50 OPA investigators in Greater Boston and 150 others throughout New England were posted at filling stations today in a drive to smash the black market in gasoline.

They concentrated on checking motorists' conformance with OPA regulations, specifically the rule that all gas coupons must be endorsed with the car registration number and the name of the driver's state.

An early check in Boston indicated that at least one of every 10 filling station patrons was proffering unendorsed coupons on the assumption the attendant would do the clerical work.

One of the first to be handed a complaint slip was Miss Jeanette Winchell, 21-year-old blonde Airline hostess, of Highland st., West Newton. OPA Inspector Paul A. Field examined her A and C coupons at a filling station on Stuart st., near Providence st., Back Bay. He found them unendorsed, he said.

Miss Winchell, according to the inspector, said she was unaware of the regulation. Field gave her a duplicate of a complaint slip which was forwarded to her board. She was ordered to appear at the board and exhibit her coupons properly indorsed, before using her car again.

This was the procedure followed in similar cases. OPA officials said it was a drive for compliance, rather than a prosecution campaign, although they promised court action if black market operations came to light.

Ralph M. Naves, filling station owner on Boylston st., Back Bay, told Inspector Field more than 70 per cent of his patrons feel the indorsing chore should be performed by station attendants.

"I've made some enemies and lost customers by refusing to fill out their gas stamps," he asserted.

Other dealers reported comparable experiences to OPA inspectors.

Knudsen Visions Postwar Autos

NEW YORK, March 6 (AP)—Lieut.-Gen. William S. Knudsen, Army production chief, says Americans will want 12,000,000 new automobiles after the war—and will begin getting them six months after the peace.

In an interview here, the former General Motors Corporation president declared:

1—First postwar cars will be 1942 models; 2—the super-car won't be much like those depicted by artists today, and 3—main progress in the air will be in bigger passenger and freight planes.

Speaking of postwar autos, he said: "I don't think they'll be plastic, which breaks instead of dents. Use of light metals will be the next step in the industry."

Grove Fire Victim Credits Red Cross With Saving Life

As he prepared to leave for a visit to his Missouri home today after 15 months of hospitalization, Coast Guardsman Clifford Johnson, whose recovery from 65 per cent body burns in the Cocoanut Grove fire was hailed as a medical marvel, credited the Red Cross with saving his life.

At the same time, the 1944 Red Cross War Fund drive received a check for \$800 as an extra gift from "certain members of the Coast Guard as a token of thanks and appreciation in the manner in which the Boston Chapter handled the Johnson case."

Johnson, who is now almost well, said he owed his life to Red Cross blood plasma and to the outstanding work, against impossible odds, of military and civilian doctors.

Hospital officials disclosed that

when his life was almost despaired of, doctors told the Red Cross that sight of his parents might mean the difference between life and death for the youth.

The Home Service department of the Red Cross immediately transported his father and mother from Missouri, leased a Boston apartment and maintained them in it for months while their son made his valiant fight to live.

As the second week of the annual Red Cross drive got under way, officials announced that approximately \$750,000, or 10 per cent of the Greater Boston's quota, has been subscribed.

Telling a Senate committee how Moline, Ill., is handling the wartime juvenile delinquency problem is Ruth Clifton, 18, one of the founders of the "Moline Plan" which utilizes schools and halls for recreation purposes . . . similar to the program of the Massachusetts Youth Organization.



Links Night Club Manager to Thefts

Admitting burglaries which netted more than \$30,000 in gems, furs and cash, a 17-year-old Lyman School parolee today said a South End night club manager bought the loot at a fraction of its value.

Claiming he worked alone, John Gochakowski of Leverett st., West End, told police the man paid him \$2600 for jewelry valued at more than \$22,000 stolen from the home of Louis Silin in Willard rd., Brookline.

The accused man, who said he was a bartender and assistant manager of the night spot, denied Gochakowski's charge and told police he never saw the youth before.

SUSPECTS QUIZZED

Two suspects, along with James Whigham, 18, of Crofts rd., Brookline, a Concord parolee, were held for further questioning by Brookline and Newton police.

According to Gochakowski, he broke into five houses in Brookline and Newton between Feb. 9 and Feb. 23. He said he learned the value of the Silin loot from newspapers and went back to the "fence" for more money.

He told police he asked for \$5000 more when he found out the jewelry and furs were worth \$22,000. He said the South End man refused but promised to give him \$400 later.

TRAPPED BY SPENDING

A 23-year-old Poplar st., West End, truck driver, picked up with Gochakowski and Whigham, denied any knowledge of the breaks. He said he was their "guest" during a night of lavish spending in a North Attleboro cafe which led to police nabbing them near South Station.

Attleboro police gave their descriptions and car license number to Boston after they tipped a waiter \$20, gave a piano player \$5 for a song, and paid \$22.80 for champagne in the cafe.

Ermine coats, jewelry and clothing, valued at more than \$5000, were found in Gochakowski's home, police said.

Hiccoughs Victim Better in Hospital

Seized with an attack of hiccoughs a week ago, Miss Bertha Stevens, 28, of Clarendon st., South End, continued to suffer at City Hospital today but doctors reported her condition as improving rapidly.

The young woman said she has experienced several long sieges of hiccoughing since she underwent a sinus operation a year ago.

Army Officer Kills Cop, 2 Women, Wounds 5

RIVERSIDE, Cal., March 6 (INS)—Riverside police reported today that a Camp Anza Army lieutenant shot and killed three persons, two of them women, and wounded five others with a .45-caliber revolver shortly before midnight last night.

The two women, one of them reported to be the lieutenant's wife, were shot on the Army reservation, police said, where four others were wounded by the officer, identified only as a Lieut. Swanson.

After the shooting there, police said the officer commandeered a car at the post and with a Negro sergeant drove into suburban Arlington, where he accosted Ray Schlegel, 24, of Los Angeles, who was driving with his wife, infant son and a sailor.

The officer stopped the Schlegel car and ordered everyone out except the driver, telling him to drive him to an unknown destination. At that moment, Riverside Policemen Arthur B. Simpson and E. F. Cole pulled alongside the car to investigate.

Simpson was shot and killed by the officer and Schlegel wounded in the side. Police Officer Cole shot Swanson during the gun battle, the report stated. Afterward Swanson was taken to the Camp Anza Hospital and Schlegel to the Riverside County Hospital, where his condition was reported serious.

An inquiry was ordered by Camp Anza officials, who clamped a tight censorship on the shooting.

509 Suffocate On Italian Train

NAPLES, March 6 (AP)—Five hundred and nine Italian civilians were asphyxiated Saturday morning when the freight train on which they had hitched rides stalled in a railway tunnel in southern Italy.

Brig-Gen. Gray of St. Paul, Minn., director general of the Allied military railway service, described the tragedy as "one of the most regrettable as well as one of the most unusual in railroading."

Allied railway officials said several hundred civilians apparently had climbed aboard the 45-car train in the darkness while it was halted at one of the last stations through which it passed before entering the tunnel.

Only about 50 of those caught aboard the train when it stalled on a 4 per cent grade in the tunnel escaped with their lives. The remainder apparently met a quick death from carbon monoxide.

All members of the crew except the fireman were among the dead. Officials said no Allied personnel was aboard the train.

Shoo-Shoo Baby

WILLIAMSPORT, Pa., March 6 (AP)—A local resident took two shoes to the shoemaker's, had them resoled—then discovered they were both for the right foot.

Quads' Mother Goes to Hospital

HEANOR, Derbyshire, March 6 (INS)—Nora Carpenter, mother of quadruplets, whose youngest baby, MacDonald, died Friday, was taken to a hospital today for recuperation. She was said to be progressing favorably.

The young mother was unable to attend the baby's funeral. The father, Staff Sgt. Bill Thompson of the U. S. Army, who had visited Nora and the quads earlier in the week, was unable to leave camp. Simple church services were attended only by Nora's grandfather and a few other relatives.

The three surviving babies were reported gaining in weight and Dr. P. H. J. Turton, who brought the quads into the world, said he was confident they would survive.

Darling Is Different—read his daily column, "On the Side," every day in the Boston American.

BAY STATERS IN ENGLAND—Getting ready for another mission over Europe, Lieut. E. W. George (left) of Lyndale ave., Methuen, and Lieut. Arthur Baranick of Story st., South Boston, with each other "good shooting and a happy landin'."



INQUEST RESUMED—Mrs. Patricia Goodbody is shown at the reconvened inquest into the fatal shooting of her mother, Mrs. Adele Born Williams, in a Chicago hotel. Mrs. Goodbody, who was with her mother at the time of the shooting, has been ill since the tragedy.

International News Photo

TURKS SEE HOPE FOR NEW BRITISH PACT

By WILLIAM B. KING

ANKARA, Turkey, March 6 (AP)—Two Istanbul newspapers left the impression today a new Turkish understanding with Britain still is possible despite an announcement shipment of lend-lease and war supplies from England and the United States has been stopped.

"The policy of the democracies is our policy," said Vatan.

"If the Allies were to do something in the Balkans, they would find us at their sides," said Tanin. "It is not true that the Allies can do nothing in the Balkans because we will not move. The truth is that we will not move because the Allies do not wish to land in the Balkans."

Suspension of British-Turkish military talks was disclosed Feb. 10. Tanin reported aviators and technicians sent to Turkey by the British and American armies were preparing to leave and said that, while the flow of military supplies from Allied sources had been halted, shipments of rubber and tin would continue.

Crossing Crash Kills 4 High School Pupils

BRIDGEPORT, Ind., March 6 (AP)—Four high school students, three boys and a girl, were killed and a soldier and a girl were injured last night when a train and their car collided on the Pennsylvania railroad tracks.

5 Girls Nabbed in Thefts From Sailors Face Lineup

Five girls in their teens or early 20's, caught in a three-way drive staged by Boston police, FBI agents and Naval authorities, were questioned in a police lineup today concerning thefts from sailors.

Complaints by servicemen that they have been "clipped" by young women in Boston led to the triple investigation. Five women, three of them married and the mothers of small children, were arraigned on similar charges last week in municipal court.

Three of the suspects questioned today were arrested by police of the Dudley st. station on complaint of Robert Weddington, a sailor attached to the South Boston naval base, that he had been robbed of \$225.

END PROBE OF PAMPHLET ON RACE EQUALITY

WASHINGTON, March 6 (AP)

—The House Military Committee closed the books today on a secret investigation of Army plans to distribute 55,000 copies of a pamphlet on racial equality, but kept an eye on a government warehouse to make certain that the books stay there.

Titled "The Races of Mankind," the pamphlet was published by the Public Affairs Committee, Inc., of New York City and was prepared by Prof. Ruth Benedict and Dr. Gene Weltfish, identified on the title page as associated with the department of anthropology of Columbia University.

Chairman May (D.) of Kentucky said the War Department abandoned plans to distribute the book in connection with its orientation courses after the committee threatened to "expose the motives behind this book." The purpose of the pamphlet, he declared, was to teach racial equality, especially the equality of white men and Negroes.

What irked May and other committee members was what the Kentuckian said was a claim in the book that surveys indicated the average Negro in New York, Connecticut and Massachusetts was the intellectual equal of the average white resident of Kentucky, Arkansas and Mississippi.

Committee members said the book had been banned from USO centers and its distribution then was promoted by the CIO relief committee. When the Army purchased 55,000 copies, May said, the committee decided to investigate.

Captain Awarded Son for Furlough

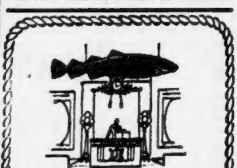
A Holyoke Army captain, recently returned from 15 months' duty in England, was successful today in obtaining court permission to have his 9-year-old son with him during his two-weeks' furlough, over the protests of his ex-wife.

Capt. Francis L. Nichols was given a temporary order to take his boy, Geoffrey, with him for a holiday in Brattleboro, Vt., until March 20, by Judge Frederick J. Dillon in Suffolk Probate Court.

Opposing the officer's plea for a chance to become re-acquainted with his son after their long separation, was his former wife, Mrs. Margaret Eggleston Coburn, of Boston, re-married since her divorce in 1937.

United Press Apology for Fake Story About Stalin

NEW YORK, March 6 (AP)—The United Press issued today the following statement:
 "On February 14 (certain) newspapers . . . published a dispatch of a London correspondent of the United Press in which it was said



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Finn Envoy Will Go to Moscow

STOCKHOLM, March 6 (AP)—The Stockholm Morgontidningen indicated today Juho Paasikivi, foreign prime minister who negotiated the 1940 peace, would go directly to Moscow to discuss Russian armistice demands.
 It said the departure date of Paasikivi "eastward" was unknown.

Finns Halt Evacuation Of Children to Sweden

NEW YORK, March 6 (AP)—The evacuation to Sweden of another group of Finnish children has been postponed for "reasons that cannot be overcome," the Finnish radio said today.

The Swedish radio said Friday that some 15,000 Finnish children were in Sweden.

Allied Patrol Battles Burma Japs

NEW DELHI, March 6 (AP)—An Allied patrol operating on Burma's coastal plain south of Maungdaw engaged and inflicted casualties upon a party of Japanese, a Southeast Asia communique said today.

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SPUR OMNIBUS BILL, PLEA OF VFW CHIEF

By FRANK REILLY

Boston American Staff Writer

WASHINGTON, March 6 — As the "G-I bill of rights" received a final hearing by the Senate sub-committee on veterans' legislation today, Commander-in-Chief Carl J. Schoeninger of the Veterans of Foreign Wars appealed to relatives and friends of servicemen to keep up their demands for immediate enactment of the rehabilitation program.

The omnibus bill, sponsored jointly by the American Legion and VFW, is due to be turned over to the Senate finance committee following today's hearing and may be reported out, for action on the floor of the Senate, before the end of the week.

HOPE FOR 60 VOTES

Backers of the legislation hope that at least 60 of the 96 Senators will vote for the measure, but stiffer opposition is feared in the House.

The VFW commander-in-chief described the proposed legislation as "the greatest, most sweeping veterans' bill in our history, a scientifically prepared program of benefits for veterans from

China Gals

NEW DELHI (AP)—Twenty-five Red Cross girls have been flown safely across the hump and now are operating clubs for American soldiers in China. Army headquarters has announced.

Lieut. Gen. Stilwell originally was opposed to allowing Red Cross or other women into advanced base: such as China, where the only exit is by air, but the first few permitted there proved so popular with the troops that he finally agreed to a top limit of 25.

which they will profit throughout their lives."

He was joined by National Comdr. Warren H. Atherton of the American Legion, who expressed hope that "no under-cover economy wave will be permitted to block justice for our fighting men."

Meantime, with petitions coming in by the hundreds from every state in the Union, relatives and friends of veterans were warned against lessening their activities, and heads of municipal governments throughout the country were urged to give the measure their support.

PRaises COUNCIL

Jack Cejnar, the Legion's national director of publicity, in asking municipal support, said his suggestion was inspired by the action of the city council at Boston.

The Legion announced the support of Sen. Carl A. Hatch and Cong. Antonio M. Fernandez of the New Mexico Congressional delegation, and said Sen. Claude Pepper of Florida is actively campaigning for the measure.

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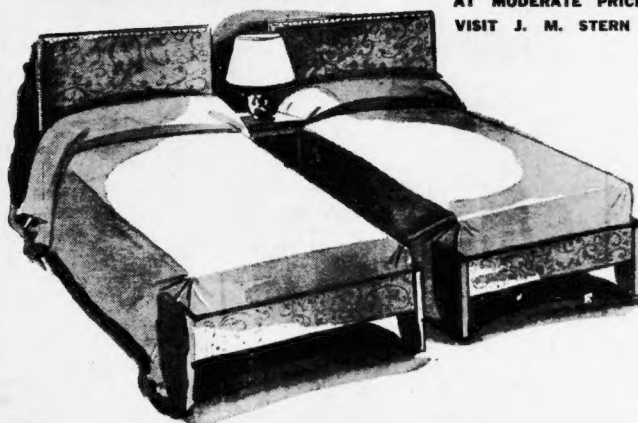
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Nab 4 in Theft Of Antique Guns

The price for 21 antique rifles stolen from the home of Dr. Calvin Aunce, South st., Jamaica Plain, rose steadily as they passed from dealer to dealer, police said today after arresting three Jamaica Plain boys as suspects in the theft.

The weapons, part of a collection owned by Dr. Aunce, were sold by the boys to a West End antique dealer for \$10, police said. The West End man was held as a suspect.

The price climbed to \$45 when he resold them to another dealer and the latter collected \$60 when he turned them over to still another man in Hyde Park.

The pyramiding market was stopped, police said, when Patrolman Harold Hutchinson of Station 13 overheard the youths discussing their original sale in an Eggleston sq. drug store, and set detectives on the trail.

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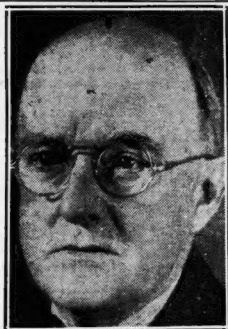
48-Hr. Week Now Effective In Hub Area

As the War Manpower Commission's order requiring a 48-hour work week became effective today in all essential industries in Boston and 42 suburban communities, WMC officials said successful operation of the plan would forestall increasing hours in non-essential lines of work.

Leon J. Kowal, Boston WMC director, estimated the addition of approximately 7000 workers to this region's labor supply in the past month, together with the 48-hour order comes close to solving Boston's labor crisis.

Concerns chiefly affected by the directive are rubber factories, machine tool and metal fabricating plants and chemical laboratories. Most vital industries have been on a 48-hour week many months.

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Three Colleges Enroll in Oratory Contest

With Boston, Tufts and Jackson Colleges enrolled in the John Paul Jones oratorical contest, the nationwide competition sponsored by the Hearst newspapers, of which Adm. Ernest J. King, American fleet commander-in-chief, is honorary national chairman, today gathered momentum in Boston.

Boston University also has entered the patriotic contest, through Prof. William G. Hoffman, head of the English department.

EXPRESS ENTHUSIASM

Other educators expressing enthusiasm over the oratorical competition honoring America's great Revolutionary naval hero are John Woodruff, director of public speaking at Tufts and Jackson, and Prof. Harold Blanchard, head of the English department at these two institutions.

Additional support was given by John L. Delay, state commander of the American Legion, Dept. of Massachusetts, with his statement:

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PAROCHIAL SCHOOLS

Hearty approval had already been given by the Rev. William J. Daly, diocesan supervisor of parochial schools, and Dr. Arthur L. Gould, Boston public school superintendent.

City parochial schools already entered include Cathedral High in Boston, the Gate of Heaven, St. Augustine's and the Nazareth, all in South Boston; St. Patrick's, St. Joseph's, Perpetual Help for Girls, Perpetual Help for Boys and Holy Trinity High Schools, all in Roxbury.

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Margaret's and St. Gregory's High Schools, both in Dorchester; St. Thomas, Jamaica Plain; St. Columbkille's, Brighton; Mount St. Joseph's Academy, Brighton, and the Academies of Notre Dame in the Fenway and in Roxbury.

Boston public high school entries include Public Latin School, Girls' Latin, Brighton High, Charlestown High, Dorchester High for Boys, Dorchester High for Girls, East Boston High, English High, Girls' High, Jamaica Plain High, Jeremiah E. Burke High, Mechanic Arts, Roslindale High, Roxbury Memorial for Girls, South Boston High, Boston Clerical School, Brandeis Vocational High, Boston Trade School and the Trade School for Girls, Roxbury Memorial for Boys, High School of Practical Arts, High School of Commerce.

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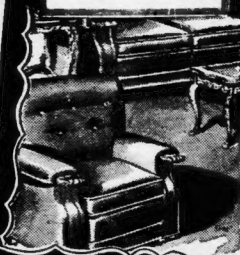
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4 BAY STATE ARMY MEN ON WOUNDED LIST

Names of four Massachusetts men are included in a list of U. S. soldiers wounded in action, the War Department announced today. They are:

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Capt. Richard D. Furbush; Mrs. Richard D. Furbush, wife, 32 Edgemoor ave., Wellesley.

CENTRAL PACIFIC AREA
Pfc. Charles J. Green; Mrs. Elizabeth Sullivan, sister, 104 Beacon st., Chelsea.

MEDITERRANEAN AREA
Staff Sergt. William O. Frederick; Mrs. Virginia L. Frederick, wife, 185 Lowell st., Reading.

SOUTHWEST PACIFIC AREA
Staff Sergt. Harvey B. Wolcott; Mrs. Edna M. Wolcott, wife, 88 Auckland st., Boston.

Two Massachusetts men are listed as wounded in today's casualty report of U. S. Naval Forces. They are:

George E. Atkins, aviation machinist's mate, third class, USNR, wounded; Mrs. Grace M. Atkins, mother, 110 Green st., Lynn.

John B. De Clerck, electrician's mate, second class, USNR, wounded; Charles F. De Clerck, Sr., 19 Beebe rd., Quincy.

It's no fun to be in a hospital, thousands of miles and an ocean away from home. But that's where wounded men named in today's casualty list are. A man's morale can sink pretty low when he's seriously wounded in battle far from his loved ones. Red Cross this year will spend \$3,850,000 for emergency morale supplies for men in combat zones and hospitals.

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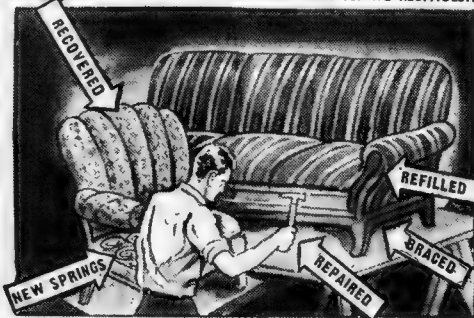
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Meet to Help Sister Kenny

CHICAGO, March 6—Dr. Preston Bradley, pastor of People's Church, will be principal speaker at the big mass meeting Friday night to keep Sister Kenny in America, it was announced today.

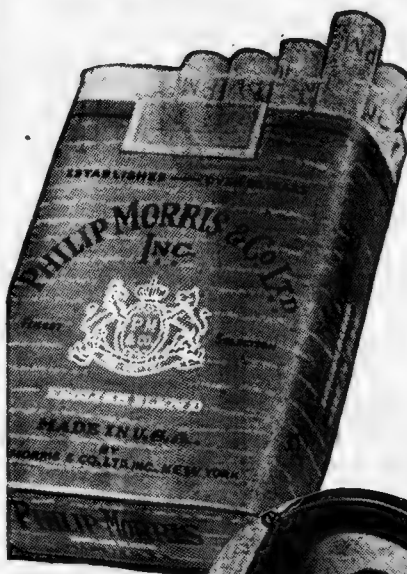
The meeting is being sponsored by the Chicago nurses committee for the extension of better care, and the Chicago Associated Nurses which are fighting to keep the famed Sister Kenny, originator of the infantile paralysis treatment, from leaving this country.

The Rev. Frederic T. Manion, director of the Shrine of the Little Flower, will open the meeting with a benediction and a minute of silent prayer for the men and women in the armed forces.

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A two-week "wash day" program from Monday, March 27,

through Saturday, April 8, to make Boston purer and whiter—on the surface, at least—was proclaimed today by Mayor Tobin.

Acting on the protest of Mrs. Joseph J. Leonard, of Jamaica Plain, organizer and executive chairman of the Boston Cleanup Campaign, that Boston's City Hall was the "filthiest" she had ever seen, the Mayor promised that the building will get a soap bath and a general overhauling with paint.

Even the city streets will be swept until they glisten, so that Mrs. Leonard may realize her slogan: "A clean and shining Boston by Easter."

2 Face Court in Break

Edward Bunn, 36, of Walnut st., Chelsea, and a 16-year-old nephew faced arraignment in Chelsea court today on charges of breaking and entering. Chelsea police reported they captured the pair in a variety store in Walnut st.

Poles Kill 20 Gestapo
NEW YORK, March 6 (INS)—The British radio said that the Polish underground's board of secret resistance has executed 20 additional Gestapo officials in Poland.

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So. End Flier Wins DFC For Daring Raid Exploits

A 22-year-old South End youth, who enlisted in the Army 11 months before the outbreak of war and spent a year driving a light tank, today was awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross, the War Department announced at Washington.

He is 2d Lieut. Joseph A. Dolan, of Chandler st., a former student at English High School, who transferred to the Air Corps after Pearl Harbor. A veteran of 50 flying missions over Sicily, Italy, Yugoslavia and Greece, he received the DFC award for "extraordinary achievement while participating in aerial flight as pilot of a P-38."

"On Oct. 20, 1943, while leading his flight on a fighter-bomber mission over Nis, Yugoslavia, Lieut. Dolan distinguished himself through aggressiveness and skill," his citation said. "With the railroad yards as his first target, he scored a direct hit on the round house with his own bomb and led his flight over the yards with such precision that heavy damage was

inflicted upon tracks and repair sheds.

"In the face of intense ground fire, he then strafed a nearby airfield, exploding an enemy plane on the ground. Flying at treetop level, down the main highway, he attacked and destroyed three enemy vehicles crowded with troops. With his remaining ammunition, Lieut. Dolan strafed a locomotive, which exploded a minute later."

Smoke Death Accidental

SPRINGFIELD, March 6.—Medical Examiner George L. Schadt today returned a verdict of accidental asphyxiation by smoke in the death of Lewis S. Scott, 52, whose body was found in his smoke-filled home.

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South End Curate Injured in Car Crash

Injured when his car collided with a Milford-Easton bus at Arlington and Stuart sts., Back Bay, the Rev. Alfred St. Martin, 64, curate at Our Lady of Victory Church, Isabella st., South End, was at St. Elizabeth's Hospital today with fractured ribs.

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BUSINESS REPORT FOR 1943

In accordance with the Annual Statement as of December 31, 1943
Filed with the Massachusetts Insurance Department.

OBLIGATIONS TO POLICYHOLDERS, BENEFICIARIES, AND OTHERS	
Policy Reserves Required by Law	\$5,537,607,629.67
This amount, together with future premiums and interest, is required to assure payment of all future policy benefits.	
Policyholders' Funds	255,604,009.54
Policy proceeds and dividends left with the company at interest to be paid out in future years.	
Reserve for Dividends to Policyholders	108,874,814.00
Set aside for payment in 1944 to those policyholders eligible to receive them.	
Other Policy Obligations	\$2,017,949.91
Claims in process of settlement, estimated claims not yet reported, premiums paid in advance, etc.	
Taxes Due or Accrued	20,523,324.00
Includes estimated amount of taxes payable in 1944 on the business of 1943.	
Reserve for Investments	62,347,000.00
To provide against possible loss or fluctuation in their values.	
Miscellaneous Liabilities	23,403,106.43
TOTAL OBLIGATIONS	\$6,057,267,833.62

ASSETS WHICH ASSURE FULFILLMENT OF OBLIGATIONS	
National Government Securities	\$2,353,375,600.18
U. S. Government	\$2,181,141,867.14
Canadian Government	172,233,733.01
Other Bonds	2,028,916,055.03
U. S. State and Municipal	48,213,934.88
Canadian Provincial and Municipal	89,749,717.58
Railroad	547,354,089.75
Public Utilities	829,416,829.33
Industrial and Miscellaneous	514,181,484.06
Stocks	87,370,338.01
All but \$680,138.00 are Preferred or Guaranteed.	
First Mortgage Loans on Real Estate	924,476,078.32
Term	87,581,134.22
Other Property	836,494,944.33
Loans on Policies	408,746,108.38
Made to policyholders on the security of their policies.	
Real Estate Owned	366,977,963.13
Includes \$59,821,102.96 real estate under contract of sale and \$143,580,643.66 Housing Projects and real estate for Company use.	
Sum	131,836,888.68
Other Assets	158,504,218.48
Premiums due and deferred, interest and rents due and accrued, etc.	
TOTAL ASSETS TO MEET OBLIGATIONS	\$6,463,803,581.58

Assets exceed Obligations by \$406,535,747.96. This safety fund is divided into:

Special Surplus Funds	\$ 4,328,000.00
Unassigned Funds (Surplus)	392,010,718.02

These funds, representing about 7% of the obligations, serve as a cushion against possible unfavorable experience due to war or other conditions.

NOTE—Assets carried at \$394,333,580.62 in the above statement are deposited with various public officials under requirements of law or regulatory authority. Canadian business embraced in this statement is reported on basis of per of exchange.

HIGHLIGHTS OF 1943 OPERATIONS

Life Insurance in Force, End of 1943	\$29,180,396,994.00
Paid for Life Insurance Issued During 1943	2,305,362,410.00
Amount Paid to Policyholders During 1943	554,873,243.55

WE HEAR a great deal these days about post-war planning. Some of it seems sound and practical, and some of it is "crystal gazing."

While literally hundreds of public and private agencies are thinking of postwar planning, there are a few things that realistic individuals are sure of. They know that first and foremost the war has to be won and nothing should interfere with all-out efforts toward this end.

They know that economic tides ebb and flow; that the future, like the past, will experience good times and bad; that when bad times come, many people will face economic hardships.

They know that they, like everyone else, are growing older; that the life of any individual is uncertain; and that in accordance with the immutable laws of nature, heads of families will continue to pass on.

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The Veterans' Friend

Q—I served in the WAVES for one month and 11 days. I contracted a serious case of pneumonia which aggravated an arrested case of pleurisy, resulting in my receiving a medical discharge. Am I entitled to mustering-out pay and where do I apply? E. D. Chemsford.

A—You are entitled to \$100. Application is mailed to Field Branch, Bureau of Supply and Accounts, U. S. Navy, Cleveland, O. Type of application may be had at Personnel Office, First Naval District Headquarters, Causeway st., Boston, or any U. S. Employment office.

Q—I was discharged under "Special Order Honorable" after serving 38 days. Am I entitled to mustering-out pay? E. R. M. Lynn.

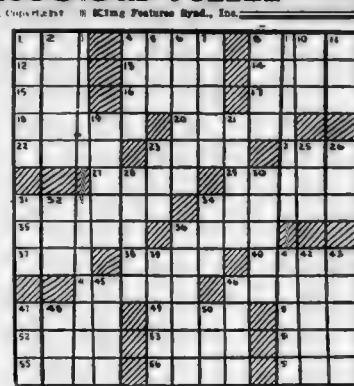
A—You do not state reason for discharge, but if honorable you are entitled to \$100. Application is made by writing Field Branch, Bureau of Supply and Accounts, U. S. Navy, Cleveland, O.

Q—Served 10 weeks in Marines and received inaptitude discharge under honorable conditions because of illness. Am I entitled to benefits and where could I get a copy of medical records? J. S. L. Boston.

A—You are entitled to \$100 mustering-out pay. Write Director of Personnel, Headquarters, U. S. M. C. Wash., D. C. For a copy of your medical records, Commandant's Headquarters, U. S. M. C. Wash., D. C. Give serial number, discharge number and other information.

Q—A friend of mine after serving one year in the Navy received an inaptitude discharge in

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ACROSS

- 1—An apron top
- 2—Go beyond
- 3—Cavily
- 12—Hall
- 13—Moon
- 14—Monkeys
- 15—Bulky piece of wood
- 16—Show concern
- 17—Drugs
- 18—Burst forth
- 19—Male voice
- 20—Unit of electrical force
- 23—In this place
- 24—Severely
- 27—Peruse
- 28—One who casts a ballot
- 31—In back of
- 32—Rhythms
- 33—Papal veil
- 34—Bauy
- 37—Cuckoo
- 38—Heavenly body
- 40—Always
- 46—Faithful
- 47—Move
- 48—Fodder pit
- 49—Crow's cry
- 50—Sharpen
- 51—Roman road
- 54—Consumed
- 55—Urges
- 56—Chair
- 57—Color

DOWN

- 1—Made into a compressed package
- 2—Elephant's tusks
- 3—Was originated
- 4—Agreement
- 5—Collection of sayings
- 6—Classified
- 7—Cible
- 8—Ring of light
- 9—Run
- 10—Confidence general
- 11—Worm
- 12—Dancer
- 13—Not even
- 21—Pushover
- 25—Gaelic sea

Average Time of Solution: 27 Minutes

July, 1943. Can he apply for mustering-out pay and also wear service button? T. McF., No. Quincy.

A—He is entitled to mustering-out pay amounting to \$200 and also privileged to wear discharge button, providing his discharge was issued under honorable conditions.

(All letters addressed to Veterans Friend, Boston Record-American, will be answered in this column unless an answer is desired by mail in which case enclose a self-addressed stamped envelope.)

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| 35—Greeting | 36—The mother |
| 37—Chess pieces | 38—Merry days |
| 39—Courtship | 40—Raw meat |
| 41—Twinkle apart | 42—Wrenchful act |
| 43—In desert | 44—Pronoun |
| 45—A piece | 46—To draw |
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Solution on Page 27

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Making Good



Hub Gal

Just signed to a seven-year Warner Bros. film contract, lovely Madelon Mason of Newton, who won "photo queen" crown here in '42, is looking ahead to big screen roles. She's also a famous model.

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**F. B. I. EXPOSES
TODAY'S
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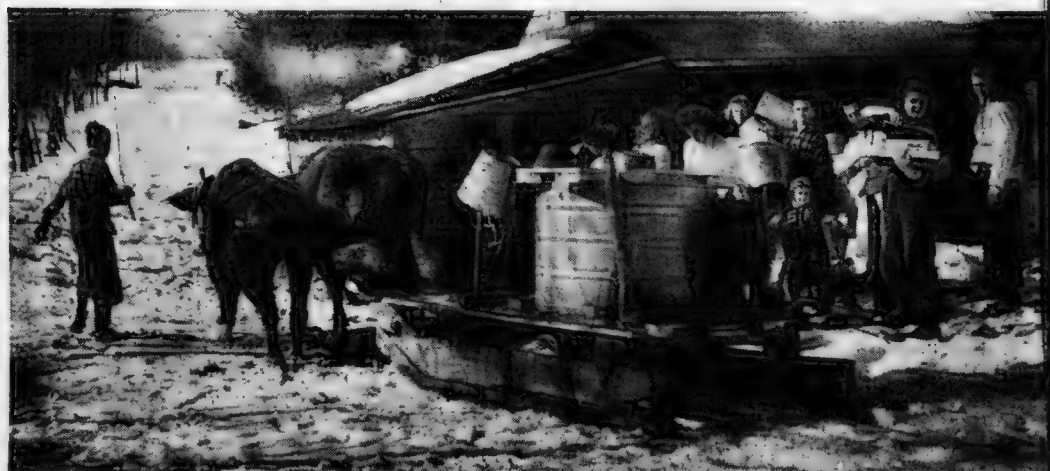
Harvesting Maple



*Owner Samuel Smith Shows
Dot Keefe How to Tap Maple*

Sap Season—Near-spring days heralds the beginning of the sap season at High Maples Farm, Gilford, N. H., and it's there you see (above) the full gathering tank's contents strained through cloth . . . as maple sap is transferred to storage tanks of the sugar house. See left . . . and below . . .

International News Photos by George Woodruff



Oxen Are Used to Haul the Sap Tanks on Sleds at the Smith Farm, Which Employs Some New Hampshire

Practice

Under tutelage of Mrs. Rosemary Gibbons (pianist), John McCarron (rear) and Myer Sholk (right), teen-age girls practice solo and chorus singing . . . at Massachusetts Youth Committee Center in English



Initial

Nine future followers of the quail and pheasant celebrate their first month anniversary by getting a bath . . . and English springer spaniel Dam Queenie lifts a proud head as she glances over her first puppy wash. All are owned by Mrs. Katherine Justice of San Francisco.



International News Photo by Louis Teton

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Newest—With spring just around the corner, milady is giving some thought to the latest creations in hats, and here is the very thing for that first bright spring day — a straw trimmed with pansies and tilted saucily over one eye.

International News Photo



Santa—Capt. Wm. E. Barkis of Oakland, Cal., police plays Santa Claus to Philip Thymian, Jr., who was beaten by a housekeeper. Phil sits on his mother's lap, while sister Nancy looks on. Horse was gift of Chicago woman who learned of his plight . . . sent the toy to police for him.

International News Photo

Less Costly Government

TAX COMMISSIONER LONG says the law which permits State income taxpayers to deduct the amounts they contribute to the Federal Government will cost Massachusetts \$2,000,000 this year.

He does not think the additional money which the State expects to receive from war plant workers will be sufficient to offset such a loss.

And he argues that the \$2,000,000 will have to be derived from some other source, probably from real estate.

Mr. Long will have a hard time convincing the people of Massachusetts that they should pay a State tax on money they have already given to the Federal Government.

Moreover, he will find it equally difficult to dispel the growing belief that State income taxpayers should also be allowed to deduct their personal and real estate taxes.

Wiser and certainly more beneficial would be a determination on the part of Mr. Long and all other State officials to REDUCE THE COST OF THE MASSACHUSETTS GOVERNMENT.

Then the \$2,000,000 which Mr. Long regrets the State will fail to receive would not be necessary.

In fact, it might be possible to save much more than \$2,000,000 and lighten the taxpayers' burden proportionately.

Let All Servicemen Vote

A BROCKTON member of the Massachusetts Legislature—Rep. Charles J. McCaffrey, has announced he will file a bill calling for a State constitutional amendment to allow servicemen of eighteen, nineteen and twenty years of age to vote.

Representative McCaffrey could not present more honest or honorable legislation.

Governor Saltonstall should put the full weight of his important office behind it.

Senators and Representatives should accept it as the least a grateful Commonwealth can do for its defenders.

The people—the fathers, mothers, relatives and friends of the lads who are keeping the American flag flying throughout the world—should favor it without a single dissenting voice.

When we send men of eighteen, nineteen and twenty years of age to war we assume that they are old enough to fight, to bleed and probably to die.

We have no moral right to say that they are not old enough to vote—a privilege we accord naturalized aliens who frequently have a scanty knowledge of American history and customs.

Equality of suffrage is one of the cornerstones of our American form of government. Consequently, the continued denial of the right to our young servicemen for the kind of America they are fighting for is a needless and disillusioning negation of the liberties intended under our State and Federal constitutions.

In following Representative McCaffrey's inspiring leadership and permitting every serviceman to vote, regardless of age, we shall be giving our valiant defenders nothing more than a privilege they have earned, often at the risk of their lives.

A British 'Discovery'

"THE LANCET," a British medical journal, has stated that babies born from May to October generally are uniquely intelligent "because they have the most intelligent parents."

But the distinguished publication neglected to advance a theory as to why the more brilliant persons have children in the summer.

It simply presented its "discovery" on a take-it-or-leave-it basis.

That is unfortunate, of course, because millions of people in America and Britain whose birthdays are in the fall, winter or early spring will probably decide to leave it.

We think "The Lancet" should publish another article on the subject of births and therein explain why George Washington, Abraham Lincoln, Thomas Edison and at least ten thousand other great men and women were born in February and not in July.

Penicillin More Plentiful

THE ARMY has released the good news that penicillin will be more abundant in the future.

According to Lieut.-Col. R. W. Coward, the "wonder drug" is now being manufactured in twenty-four tanks, each with a capacity of 2500 gallons. Says Colonel Coward:

"Penicillin will save the lives of thousands of wounded soldiers and sailors during the war."

"After the peace it will be a godsend to millions of people all over the world."

"It can cure a great many diseases, including gangrene, one of the most dreadful infections of the battlefield."

"Yet up to now, no one has been able to make penicillin in anything larger than a milk bottle."

If this marvelous medicine will do the things doctors claim, the world should not have to wait until after the war for its benefits.

American ingenuity should be put to work on the job of making it available immediately to both soldier and civilian.

On the Side

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A sweetest woman ne'er drew breath

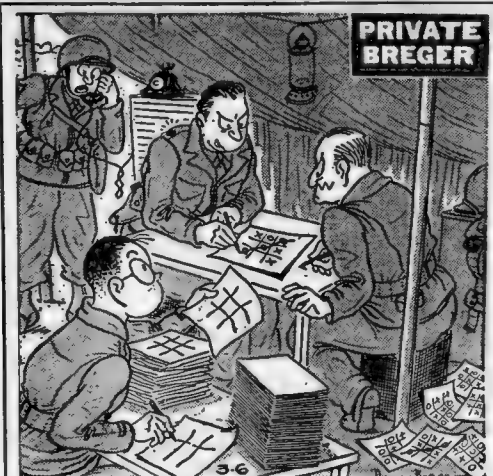
Than my son's wife, Elizabeth.
—JEAN INGELOW.

ABOVE is only poem I know of that was written in praise of a daughter-in-law. I have yet to see a poem written in praise of a mother-in-law. . . . Several feminine writers are saying that when both a man and wife work the man should help do the housework. Not merely assist by drying the dishes or other trivial tasks, but actually assume 50 per cent of the burden. You know, handle the vacuum cleaner, make the beds, scrub the bathroom floor, etc. They say if husbands would thus do their share of the housekeeping, not so many women would quit their jobs at war plants. So, mister, if your wife is in work connected with the war effort the thing for you to do, if you are a real patriot, is to put on an apron at night and go to work. Of course, being a gentleman as well as a patriot you will want to take the hardest housework job. I believe that is scrubbing the bathroom.

SIDEGLIGHTS: Another place where hay fever sufferers are said to find relief is Duluth, Minn. In fact, Duluth is known as "Hay Fever Heaven" . . . Writes Jack Norworth: "Have you a reader in Wappakanetka, O.I. If not, I shall get you one." Thanks, Jack, Old Potato. I have not such a reader. . . . The Iroquois Indian tribe believed sex appeal was a poor basis for a happy married life. So to be certain that it was not merely such an appeal that was inspiring a marriage, the couples had to live together for a year as brother and sister.

PASSING BY: Marta Eggert. Songbird. Marta says her husband, Jan Kiepara, is "a perfect husband," because every morning he "wakes up laughing." It is fellows like that who make it tough for the rest of us. I don't wake up laughing. I smile a little after I have taken a shower bath, but I don't start laughing until after my first cup of coffee.

QUERIES FROM CLIENTS: Q—You name Greta Garbo, Greer Garson and Ingrid Bergman as the three feminine film stars most proficient in love scenes. Is it something more than a coincidence that all these three stars are Swedish? A—Greta and Ingrid are Swedish but Greer was born in the north of Ireland. Q—I am 18. I work in a shipyard in San Francisco. Why is it married men seem, at this time, more inclined than ever to step out on their



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"Sorry, Private Breger cannot be disturbed—he's on special duty to Colonel Cole!"

wives? It is making me cynical about marriage. A—At the moment, I have not the answer to your question. Our Men & Mules department has been instructed to check on it. A married man can be inclined to "step out" but nothing will come of it unless he receives some feminine co-operation. It may be the shortage of male escorts is making some women not too particular about whom they go out with. In normal times 98 per cent of single girls avoid the too ardent attentions of married men.

ASIDES: A gadget has been invented to put on a rooster's neck to stop him crowing in the morning and waking people up. Cruelty to animals I call it. Let the roosters crow in the morning, but do something about stopping those loud radio players at midnight. . . . Of the eight most popular books published between 1875 and 1935,

Gene Stratton Porter wrote four: "The Girl of the Limberlost," "The Harvester," "Freckles" and "Laddie." The other four were "Tom Sawyer," by Mark Twain, "Ben Hur," by Lew Wallace, "In His Steps," by Charles M. Sheldon and "The Winning of Barbara Worth," by Harold Bell Wright.

ALMOST CONFIDENTIAL: Now they are selling dogs on the installment plan. Fine idea. But suppose a man who had a dog only half paid for lost his job. Think how that little dog would worry about the next installment. . . . A man who worked in a war plant during the Spanish-American war said he was paid \$12 a week and sometimes, with overtime, made \$15 a week. . . . "As to the song 'The Bower' having been sung in 'A Trip to Chinatown,'" writes Queenie Vassar, "I know you are right because I played in that comedy for two years."

My Day By Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt

WASHINGTON, Sunday—Friday night the cabinet dinner was given to the President in the White House, and afterwards under Staff Sergeant Virgil Fox's direction, Sgt. Donald Benjamin, Corp. Glenn Darwin and Pfc. Erno Valasek gave

us a delightful program like those they give in the various hospitals.

This occasion always gives me an opportunity to see not only the present members of the cabinet, but many of those who have been with us in the past.

YESTERDAY MORNING the services which my husband has always asked for on the Fourth of March were held, and the Rev. Endicott Peabody, with the rector of St. Thomas' Church and the rector of St. John's Church, all conducted the services.

These services have been held for a number of years, and I think they must give to all courage to go on along the lines which have kept us together and allowed us to move forward during the past difficult years.

I am very much interested in paid advertisements which are appearing in many papers. The one I saw on March 2 is headed: "U. S. Senate votes to feed Europe's starving children. The food is ready, the ships are ready, the International Red Cross is ready. Mr. President, what are we waiting for?"

THE SENATE and those who wrote this advertisement must know that the President can do nothing in this problem. Even the State Department can do nothing about it. This is a war question and one which the Allied military committee must decide.

No one in this country or in any other country of the United Nations wants to starve the children of the world, but only the military authorities can determine whether feeding them today will mean a longer war. Therefore, advertisements of this kind seem to me misleading.

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CAMPBELL GIRL



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"That's strange. I thought SURE there was another cigarette in the house!"

Hollywood Today

By Louella O. Parsons

HOLLYWOOD, March 6—Count any day lost in Hollywood without a surprise or two. My surprise this morning is the promise Ginger Rogers made to David Selznick to star in "Double Furlough." Seems with "The Gibson Girl" at RKO no longer even a remote possibility, David decided that he would like to sign Miss Rogers.

Joan Fontaine, who under no circumstances will make a picture until she has had a rest, asked to be excused from making "Double Furlough" because she was going to the desert. There was talk that Dorothy McGuire was to have the Fontaine role, but apparently David felt the role was more suited to the Rogers girl.

THERE IS an enormous amount of interest in "Dragonwyck," the Anya Seton novel. Since we printed that Ernst Lubitsch would bring it to the screen the mail has been filled with letters suggesting a cast. I should say the handsome, but sinister Nicholas, Miranda's husband, would take a bit of casting. Ernst, who is getting better all the time, but still is not ready to take over direction, has formed a combination with Joseph L. Mankiewicz, the talented young writer. Mankiewicz will direct "Dragonwyck" under the supervision of Lubitsch. He will also direct "Czarina," a former New York stage play by Melchior Lengyel and Lajos Biro, again, with Lubitsch.

I HAVE JUST won a bet. I bet Buddy De Sylva would lose no time in putting Academy-winning Katina Paxinou in a movie. He'd be crazy if he didn't. She is one of the greatest attractions on the screen today and any company that has her in a picture has a gold mine. For the fans will flock to see her following the awarding of the Oscar to her. She'll begin work, but soon, at very soon, I should say, since he

Paramount, with Betty Hutton in "California." That's the movie, originally intended for Bing Crosby, laid in '49. It has turned out to be a bigger woman's role than a man's, so it will co-star Betty and Katina.

JACK BENNY hasn't reached his place in the sun as a top comedian without good reason, and that is real ability. We were all reminded again of Jack's spontaneous wit at the Academy awards program. He was excellent as master of ceremonies, and although he was only supposed to do five minutes, because of a gap he had to fill he was on for fully 20 and couldn't have been more amusing. He was with Jack Warner, who has just signed him to a term contract. The search is on to get him some good comedies. Sort of a clean sweep for Warners' in the awards—actor, production, direction and Irving Thalberg awards.

I FEAR MICHELE MORGAN was a bit upset because I printed that she and Bill Marshall have made a date with the stork. She doesn't expect her baby until September and she is negotiating for a contract with a major company. Since it will be six months before arrival of her child she can very well make one picture. She is a talented little actress. Bill Marshall, her husband, was dismissed from the Army, as I said before, because of a head injury sustained while in service. He will take up awarding of the Oscar to her. She'll begin work, but soon, at very soon, I should say, since he



KATINA PAXINOU IN HER OSCAR WINNING ROLE OF PILAR Academy Award Wins Her Co-Star Role in "California"

looks much better than he did when I saw him in New York.

ONE ACADEMY AWARD that made me happy was the Oscar given Fred Quimby for "Yankee Doodle Mouse." For 10 years Walt Disney has carried off every prize for cartoons and Quimby's award was a distinct victory for him and M-G-M. Fred is a pioneer in the business. I first knew him when he was making a picture of the Jack Dempsey-Georges Carpentier fight in New York. He gave me a \$50 ticket to see the fight and then my boss, W. E. Lewis, wouldn't let me go "because," he said, "a prize fight was no place for a lady."

I BOUGHT a copy of Jimmy Starr's book, "The Corpse Came C. O. D." and I have a grievance—it kept me awake the best part of the night for I couldn't put it

down! I'm a push-over for a good murder melodrama and Jimmy's, with its Hollywood background, is a corker and is sure to sell like hot cakes. It is the kind of book that makes you forget everything—income tax, your next day's job and even your aches and pains. Congratulations, Jimmy, on a swell job.

TWENTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS for a five-page synopsis is nice going, and that's the sum just forked over by Charles Rogers to writers Irving Phillips and Edward Verdier for "Cinderella Goes to Town." It's intended for Rogers' 12-year-old protegee, Jane Powell, who makes her starring debut in "Song of the Open Road." This youngster has one of the finest young singing voices since Deanna Durbin made her debut. "Cinderella Goes to Town" is the story of a girl singer with

a symphony orchestra in the background, so it doesn't take a private detective to guess that Rogers has the idea of making another Durbin out of the Powell child. Both she and Sylvan Simon, her director, are booked for a Rogers encore.

SNAPSHOTS OF HOLLYWOOD collected at random: Constance Dowling, the Goldwyn lovely, and Helmut Dantine, are fast becoming a romantic combination; Errol Flynn and John Decker are opening an art gallery next month on the strip. Decker, one of the late John Barrymore's closest friends, finds Errol amusing company. George Jessel, who always picks them pretty and young, escorted Madeleine Le Beau to the Academy Awards program and then took her to Clover Club. Jimmie Dunn was also Clover Clubbing with his bride-to-be, Edna Rush. Elin and Irving Berlin in a party at the same place following the Academy doings; Bob Hope, despite his doctor's warnings, planned out in an Army bomber for Mobile, Ala., where he starts another camp tour.

THE HAYS OFFICE has approved the screen treatment of "Mildred Pearce," so all the censorable situations have come out. Major Ross Shattuck has reached Washington after a year's absence in Africa. He long-distanced his wife, Margaret Ellinger, that he hopes to get leave so he can come to California. Lieut. John Carroll writes he is eating spaghetti in Italy; the Zachary Scotts, reported rifling, were at the Academy affair together.

BILL EYTHE leaped from a plane on the set of "Wing and a Prayer" and broke his kneecap; the John Considine entertained at a small cocktail party, taking their guests on to the premiere of "Up in Arms." Just about everybody in town was on hand so Ann Lehr's Hollywood Guild Canteen should realize a nice profit. That's all today. See you tomorrow!

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 Greer Garson, Walter Pidgeon, *"MADAME CURIE"*
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 Also "MADAME CURIE" *Richard Dix*

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"MADAME CURIE" *Richard Dix*

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CAMBRIDGE **UNIVERSITY** **1-30, EVE. 8**
"THE CROSS OF LORRAINE"
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CHARLESTOWN **FRANKLIN** **1-30, EVE. 8**
"THE CROSS OF LORRAINE"
 Also "MADAME CURIE" *Richard Dix*

DORCHESTER **GENEVA** **1-30, EVE. 8**
"THE CROSS OF LORRAINE"
 Also "MADAME CURIE" *Richard Dix*

HAMILTON **ENG. 4000**
"THE CROSS OF LORRAINE"
 Also "MADAME CURIE" *Richard Dix*

MAGNET **ENG. 4000**
"THE CROSS OF LORRAINE"
 Also "MADAME CURIE" *Richard Dix*

DORCHESTER **MEDFORD**
"THE CROSS OF LORRAINE"
 Also "MADAME CURIE" *Richard Dix*

UPHAMS SQUARE **ENG. 4000**
"THE CROSS OF LORRAINE"
 Also "MADAME CURIE" *Richard Dix*

EVERETT **CAPITOL PARK**
"THE CROSS OF LORRAINE"
 Also "MADAME CURIE" *Richard Dix*

RIALTO **ENG. 4000**
"THE CROSS OF LORRAINE"
 Also "MADAME CURIE" *Richard Dix*

Movie Clock

METROPOLITAN "Morgan's Creek"
 11:35, 1:45, 3:50, 5:55, 7:55, 10:00

STATE "Guy Named Joe"
 11:35, 1:45, 3:50, 5:55, 7:55, 10:00

GAYETY "Sweetheart of the Fleet"
 10:25, 1:35, 3:45, 5:55, 7:55, 10:00

TRANS-LUX "Women in Bondage"
 9:30, 12:30, 2:30, 4:30, 6:30, 8:30, 10:30

OLD SOUTH "Arthur Hale, Over the Wall"
 9:30, 12:30, 2:30, 4:30, 6:30, 8:30, 10:30

NORMANDIE "Lady Takes a Chance"
 9:30, 12:30, 2:30, 4:30, 6:30, 8:30, 10:30

TREMONT "Sky's the Limit"
 9:30, 12:30, 2:30, 4:30, 6:30, 8:30, 10:30

PARAMOUNT "Destination Tokyo"
 9:30, 12:30, 2:30, 4:30, 6:30, 8:30, 10:30

SCOLLY "The Lodger"
 10:00, 12:00, 2:00, 4:00, 6:00, 8:00, 10:00

OLYMPIA "The Lodger"
 10:00, 12:00, 2:00, 4:00, 6:00, 8:00, 10:00

MAJESTIC "Cowboy Cantata"
 10:00, 12:00, 2:00, 4:00, 6:00, 8:00, 10:00

CABINO "Priorities On Parade"
 9:15, 11:15, 1:15, 3:15, 5:15, 7:15, 9:15, 11:15

BOWDOIN "Never a Dull Moment"
 10:00, 12:00, 2:00, 4:00, 6:00, 8:00, 10:00

KEITH MEMORIAL "His Butler's Sister"
 9:30, 12:30, 2:30, 4:30, 6:30, 8:30, 10:30

WKO-BOSTON "Beautiful But Broke"
 10:00, 12:00, 2:00, 4:00, 6:00, 8:00, 10:00

BEACON "Top Man"
 11:27, 2:46, 6:05, 9:24, 12:43, 4:02, 7:21, 10:40

EXETER "Old Acquaintance"
 9:10, 11:10, 1:10, 3:10, 5:10, 7:10, 9:10, 11:10

GLOBE "Slightly Honorable"
 10:25, 12:25, 2:25, 4:25, 6:25, 8:25, 10:25

FENWAY "Destination Tokyo"
 9:30, 11:30, 1:30, 3:30, 5:30, 7:30, 9:30, 11:30

MODERN "Madame Curie"
 9:25, 11:25, 1:25, 3:25, 5:25, 7:25, 9:25, 11:25

Bomber With 12 Missing
 SAVANNAH, Ga., March 6 Field public relations announced.
 (AP)—A heavy bomber with 12 the plane carried 10 officers and 21 men aboard is missing, Chatham enlisted men and two instructors.

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disaster and survival so thin and wavering as it is in the Bomber service. A split second, a hair's breadth is all that separates the two.

So George had been huddled in his little glass cubicle some weeks ago, flying back from a German bomb target. Nazi anti-aircraft batteries were sending up a solid wall of flack, which burst in black blobs, and rocked the plane, and sometimes punched it full of holes. Some of the black bursts had come close, and one, a few yards

overhead, had shattered George's enclosure and set the No. 1 and No. 2 engines on fire.

George could see all this from his vantage point, but there was nothing he could do about it except crawl into the hard shell of fatalism that is the refuge of all bomber men.

So he stood to his twin 50-calibers and watched the flames lick around the engine cowings, and waited for orders through his headphones.

But none came, and George got to thinking that was odd, so he said over the inter-com "Hello... hello... Ball turret gunner to pilot?" There was no answer, and he discovered that a piece of flack had knocked out the inter-com system.

So George crawled through his little hatch, and into the belly of the big plane to see if there was any special orders he hadn't heard, and the first thing he noticed was that everybody was gone except the tail gunner, who was tinkering with his parachute harness, and the pilot who was sitting grimly in his bucket seat.

"Where's Everybody?" George sidled through the lurching plane until he was beside his commander, and shouted, "where's everybody gone?" and the pilot jerked his head around with a surprised snarl, and yelled curses at George for not obeying his orders to bail out, which of course, George hadn't heard, because the

flak had knocked his inter-com out. So the pilot said, "Get 'em outta here now... go over the side... the ship is liable to explode any second."

So George moved as though through a bad dream, got a firm grip on his rip-cord ring, and was about to spill from the open hatch when he noticed that the tail gunner was still fumbling with his chute harness. So he paused to untangle the man's straps, feeling a vacuum in his stomach, and wondering whether he would ever see his home at 277-R Walnut st. again.

And just as he was moving toward the open hatch again, the pilot screwed his neck around and hollered, "hey!" motioning with his mitten to come over. So George went back, expecting to get cussed out some more—only this time the pilot said, "do you two want to sweat this out with me?"

"It may mean your lives, but we might bring 'er in." And George weighed the chances and said "yes." And the tail gunner said "yes," too!

By this time the other seven crew members, with whom George had eaten and slept and flown for so many months, had alighted somewhere deep in Germany and were probably being herded into prison vans.

Also by this time a stray Thunderbolt fighter had noticed the bomber's plight and was riding as

guardian angel in swift circles over its head.

So George crawled into his ball turret hatch again and stood to his 50-caliber guns, while the ship went into a long vertical dive to try to blow out the fire, which, miraculously, it did.

Says Little Prayer

George said a little prayer of thanksgiving to the "Man Upstairs" and another for the guardian fighter pilot who kept patrolling the upper skies.

And the big ship leaped painfully along on two engines, with the pilot squeezing every ounce of energy, until finally George looked down through a hole in the overcast and saw the silvery stretch of water which is the English channel, and beyond that the gray-green land which is Britain.

So at last they made safe haven on an English airfield with the last ounce of petrol, and George climbed out, a free, live man, instead of a captive, or dead one.

And, as he told me about it, he said he hopes that the day will come again in the not too distant time, when he can go back to the calm, prosaic work of rising at 2:30 a. m. and gumshoeing up to people's porches with his clinking milk bottles.

Hugh J. McCarthy of 21 Curve St., Millis, is a Providence College graduate, who used to be a heating engineer in the firm of C. H. Cronin. He is a dark haired, medium-weight man with the veteran bomb-man's searching scrutiny. And Hugh is the second lieutenant bombardier on the Fortress "Pistol Packin' Mammy," which is fuller of holes than a nutmeg grater.

And Hugh said that he had two more trips to go till "Glory Day" which is the terminal point, or 25th mission.

And he told how he'd been on such raids as the one at Schwein-

furt when they had lost 60 Fortresses, and the air had been alive with enemy fighters who bored in on suicide dives.

And how he and his crew had worn "flak suits"—forty pound shields of chainmail that had saved him twice from being killed or wounded.

Hunks of German flak had hit him like the kick of a mule, had knocked him flat, but hadn't penetrated the armor. And he told how sometimes in the mess they'd start to talk about Joe or Harry or Pete—some little antic they'd performed, and then would suddenly stop in the middle of a sentence and realize that Joe or Harry or Pete weren't there any more.

First Lieut. Robert W. Watts, Jr., of 7 Norway rd., Milton, is the son of a teacher at Dorchester High School, and a student at Northeastern U's business course two years ago. When we chatted today, Bob had just come from his third mission over Germany in three days, his 13th all told.

And he related how a piece of flak had chiseled through the plane's skin and buried itself in his foot pedal a scant half inch from his instep.

And he told how his gunners had knocked down two J. U-88s on a recent mission, after they'd stood off at a distance, and lobbed rocket shells into the Fortress formation—things that looked like lengths of stove pipe, and explode in a terrific shower of fiery particles that radiate outward like the incendiary bristle of a hedgehog.

And of the gradual, unfeeling blackout that comes when the oxygen supply fails, and distorts a flier's judgment so that he flies crookedly while thinking he is still on course. And how frost-bite maims as many men at high, sub-zero altitude as flak.

"I was thinkin'..."

by Izzy ORT



This week I'm gonna start right out talkin' business, and I don't mean monkey business, either. Coz I think I really got somethin' to brag about in me Grille this week, a show which is takin' second place to nuthin' in town... To begin wid, dere's Rose Chapman, a real zlin' Mistress of Ceremonies who we like to call Boston's own Sophie Tucker, a gal who is a show all by herself. And den I got wot practically amounts to me own chorus line, The Four Grillettes, four high-steppin', beautiful gals who go thru some real tricky routines, da kind wid zip and pep in 'em. Ronnie Sunbeam will be there to show you some real hoofin', too. And dat ain't all, coz dere's a surprise novelty act on the schedule that I ain't gonna tell you about, so you'll hafta come in and see it... How's it sound, kids? Remember, da first floor show starts at 6:30 sharp, and den dere's sun real hot music to which you kin up and make da sparks fly... Natcherly I am assumin' dat all you fokes kno about da dancin' in me Grille startin' at noontime, and about all da service men and gals and defense workers who take advantage of me afternoon openings to git in some entertainment 'dat duty and workin' hours prevent in de evenings... fer one swell time, Ort's Grille and El Tropico Room. Advt.

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Smart Set

Jean Roberts Feted at Luncheon

By BETTY ALDEN

MARCH MONDAY MAGMA—There was a lot of merry chatter at the Junior League Saturday when vivacious Ann Clarke of Brookline played hostess at a luncheon for

Jean Roberts of Winchester who is walking altarward next Saturday. Much to Jean's surprise and delight the party turned out to be a shower and she received many things which will be useful when she and her future husband, Lieut. William E. Simmons, USA, set up housekeeping in North Carolina where he is stationed.

Guests included Jean's sister, Bettie; Mrs. Edward B. Long, Mrs. William H. Harris of Baltimore, Bill's sister; Louise Barr, Becky Farnsworth, and Margie Fry who is having her turn at feting Jean later this week. Hostess Ann is to be one of Jean's bridesmaids. Between dating her beaux week-ends, working at the Underwater Sound Lab and rehearsing for three or four numbers in the Vincent show, this glamorous post deb has a busy schedule.

AN ENTIRE PROGRAM of music composed by one person is a novelty to Boston audiences which accounts for the wide-spread interest in the concert Sunday, April 23, at the Plymouth Theater, to benefit United Nations Relief. The program will be devoted to socially prominent Mrs. Eben S. Draper's gay, lifting and romantic compositions which have never before been presented in public. Thirty-five members of the Boston Symphony will play and Camille Girouard, baritone, will sing.

As usual when a brilliant benefit is planned, practically every woman in town with executive or artistic ability is helping on the committee. Mrs. David Sigourney, well known for the settings she designed and painted for big pre-war charity balls, has done the posters. Mrs. Ernest Decker (Jane Bancroft), experienced in the ways of theatrical production, is liaison between the theater and committee, and Katharine W. Lane, noted sculptress, designed the invitations.

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ONE OF THE NEWEST SPRING BAGS is a large navy faille underarm pouch . . . to give snap and smartness to a tailored suit. This stunning purse has a large simulated triangle tortoise shell plaque at the closing. Bags are huge in size this season . . . so don't skimp on your money-holder. Warner star, Michele Morgan, tops the outfit with an upside-down pie-plate hat of intriguing white to contrast with the dark ensemble.—R. M.

He's Unhappy

"DEAR MISS FAIRFAX—You'll probably call me crazy, and I'll agree with you. I went to work as a foreman in a defense plant because the salary was double what I had been getting. We had been married 10 years and had two children, for whom we had ambitious plans, educationally. In the plant I met a girl, and the outfit with an upside-down pie-plate hat of intriguing white to contrast with the dark ensemble.—R. M.

"If anyone had told me I would have looked at another woman, other than my excellent wife, I would have laughed at him. This girl is modern. Her morals are no more genuine than her complexion—but, I'm crazy about her. I know she hasn't been faithful to me, because it's not in her nature to be faithful to anyone.

"However, she agrees to marry me if I divorce my wife, and I've argued with my wife to get a divorce. I can't divorce her, because I have no grounds. I'm terribly unhappy, but in my present frame of mind I feel I'd throw away the rest of my life for a year's happiness with this girl. I know she wouldn't be faithful to me for a longer period. Am I crazy or what . . . ?

W. P. L.

Freud or Jung would place you in the particular cubicle assigned to sex aberrations. I can just give you the homely suggestions which have come to me from thousands of letters similar to yours. I know as well as these psycho-analysts what devastation sex madness can produce in an otherwise well-ordered life.

If you're willing to throw away your whole life for what you call a year's happiness (and can you depend on the girl giving you that much time?), how about the cold, gray dawn which succeeds the headache? Your home will be broken, your wife will probably have started an independent life of her own, your children will regard you as one more sex gull.

However, the final choice is up to you. No amount of sermonizing will save you without the determination to save yourself.

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Season's New Rain Suits Both Useful and Pretty

By BETTINA BEDWELL

AGAINST the wind and the rains of March and April the fashion folk have provided some of the best-looking raincoats and rain suits you ever laid your eyes on. Rain suits are new and are styled either the skirt or jacket when you wish, or wear both together.

A rain suit of water-repellent rayon surah in a delicate almond green shade is sketched. The jacket has bishop sleeves and a perky pleum. It fastens on brown buttons and ties at the neck with two brown and green bows of the material.

The skirt is a wrap-around and when worn the suit looks like a coat. It also looks very smart and not in the least like something good only against rain. The sou'wester hat is made of green surah faced with brown.



By RUTH MUGGLEBEE
TO MANY WOMEN are the last to know what their throat contour looks like. They forget that a lovely smooth throat and neck column is essential to their beauty . . . that to keep it young and lineless . . . it needs the same care as does the face.

What's the good of having a pretty face and a smartly attired figure if your throat is lined and crepey . . . if it sags and bulges . . . yes, even if it has the look of the "dowager's hump"? Nothing is so devastating to a youthful appearance . . . that beauty look . . . as a lined and unattractive throat line.

For a woman's throat line is her age line . . . age is written in every line beneath that chin. And woe be unto the gal who doesn't catch the first traces and resolve herself to their total elimination.

Of course, if you're going to shrug your shoulders and say it "makes no neverminds" how lined and aged your throat is . . . then Sister, you don't care about the beauty of your face. For sure as you're born there'll be lines in your face, too. And, then, it will be one heck of a time to do a thorough job of getting rid of those telltale lacy patterns.

With spring only fourteen days away . . . your mind should turn to the warm weather days when your throat will be exposed. It will be then that you turn down that fur collar and let your best friends take a gander at your age line.

Get in the habit of caring for your throat and neck every time you care for your face. View yourself in profile . . . and start now to guard against the dropping of these muscles. Keep the contour firm and youthful . . . yes, keep the texture of the skin soft.

TREATMENT DESIGNED FOR THROAT

The throat is the connecting beauty link between your face and your body. And you know the axiom about the chain being only as strong as its weakest link. So, if your throat isn't as lovely as you would like it . . . if it doesn't have that moonlight-in-marble smoothness . . . if it isn't as graceful and swan-like as bespeaks true femininity . . . get acquainted with a sure-fire treatment . . . especially designed for the purpose.

This unusual treatment . . . achieved by a nationally acclaimed beautician to combat unattractive throats . . . offers stimulation and lubrication to correct the sagging and weak muscles of your neck. It will also act on the condition of the lines on the throat . . . strengthening through its activating qualities.

It is rich in lubricating oils . . . and will relieve your sad condition if pursued nightly. You'll be oh so proud of your throat and neck . . . after a while . . . and you'll thrill to its new revelation when you wear low-necklines.

With just a little devoted attention . . . a beautiful throat and neck is within your power . . . through the use of this special neck and throat blend . . . a treatment will bring below-the-chin beauty to meet the beauty of your face . . . in charming, feminine harmony.

For the name of this unusual throat blend, phone the Beauty Dept., Liberty 4000, except the week-end, or write me, care of the Boston Evening American, inclosing a stamped, self-addressed envelope.

Rationing Timetable

MEAT, BUTTER, ETC.

MARCH 20—Last day for brown stamps Y and Z in Book 3, retaining their face values. Red stamps A8, B8 and C8 in Book 4 worth 10 points each, are good through May 20 under the ration token plan now in effect. Red tokens are worth one point each, used as change. Lard now unrationed.

GASOLINE

MARCH 31—Last day stamp 30 in Book 4 good for five pounds. Stamp 40 good for five pounds for canning, through Feb. 28, 1945.

CANNED GOODS

MAY 8—Last day for use of stamp No. 9 in A book, good for three gallons. B1 and C1 coupons are now good for two gallons, B2 and C2 coupons are good for five gallons.

MARCH 20—Last day to use green stamps K, L and M, retaining their printed face values, in Book 4. Blue stamps A8, B8, C8, D8 and E8 in Book 4, worth 10 points each, good through May 20 under the ration token plan now in effect. Blue tokens, worth one point each, used as change.

FUEL OIL

MARCH 13—Last day for use of Period Three coupons. Period Four coupons good to Sept. 30, Class 4 coupons worth 10 gallons, Class 5 coupons good for 50 gallons.

SALVAGED FATS

Retailers will give one brown stamp and two cents for each half-pound of used fats turned in.

SHOES

APRIL 30—Last day to use stamp No. 18 in Book 1. New stamp for use after May 1 will be designated later. Airplane stamp No. 1 in Book 3 good for one pair of shoes indefinitely.

TIRE INSPECTION

Deadline for A cars March 31; B cars deadline June 30; C cars deadline May 31.

Diamond OK in Mourning

DEAR MRS. BEECKMAN—Is it proper for a widow who is wearing deep mourning, to wear her diamond engagement ring? Also may she properly wear a single string of pearls?

—The answer is Yes . . . to both questions.



CAN YOU LIFT YOUR FACE to the heavens and reveal a lovely throat? If you can't . . . if your throat line is your age line . . . if age is written in every line beneath that chin, Milady . . . get in the habit of caring for your throat for your beauty with a special neck blend treatment. Warner Star Irene Manning has that enviable type of beauty every gal craves . . . from top to toe.

Choice Pork Dishes

By MARTHA LEE

POINT VALUES for rationed pork have been reduced again this month, and since there are abundant supplies of pork at the present time, this is extra good news for food shoppers.

Another fortunate tie-up in the present food situation is the fact that pork is an outstanding source of thiamine—a vitamin which aids in obtaining energy from food. When cereals and other energy foods are eaten it is important to have a good supply of thiamine in the diet.

All meats contain thiamine, but because pork is an excellent source, plentiful, and low in ration-point value, it is apt to be selected more often these days.

A favorite way of preparing small cuts of pork is as tender breaded chops or steaks.

BREADED PORK STEAKS

6 pork shoulder bread crumbs steaks or chops 4 to 6 tsp. lard or drippings
1 egg
1/4 cup milk 1 tsp. salt
1 1/2 cups fine 1/4 tsp. pepper
cracker or

Dip chops or steaks in egg mixed with milk, then in finely rolled bread or cracker crumbs. Brown in hot lard or drippings. Season with salt and pepper. Reduce temperature and add a small amount of water. Cover the pan and cook slowly until the chops are done (about 45 minutes). Remove to a hot platter. Makes 6 servings.

Recipes for other appetizing pork dishes follow:

STUFFED PORK SHOULDER

4 cups soft corn
bread crumbs 1/2 tsp. melted butter or
2 tsp. minced margarine
green pepper 2 eggs, beaten
2 tsp. minced 1 6-to-8-lb.
onions boned pork
1 cup canned shoulder
whole-grain

Combine all ingredients but the pork, and use to stuff the shoulder. (Boning it has left a pocket.) Tie up firmly with string and roast in a moderately hot oven (350 deg. F.), allowing 40 minutes per pound. Makes 8 to 10 servings.

PORK STEW WITH SWEET POTATOES

3 cups cubed 1 1/2 cups well seasoned pork
2 tsp. minced gravy
onion 2 tsp. flour
2 tsp. fat 1/2 tsp. salt

3 tbsp. cold water
1/4 tsp. pepper
1 tsp. Worcester-2 tsp. grated
shirase sauce
1 1/2 cups hot water
3 cups hot, mashed
ed seasoned
sweet potatoes
1 tsp. Worcester-2 tsp. grated
lemon rind
Minced parsley

Lightly brown pork and onion in the fat over low heat. Add salt, pepper, Worcestershire sauce, hot water, and gravy. Simmer for 30 minutes. Mix flour and cold water to a smooth paste, and stir into stew. Bring to a boil, stirring constantly. Cook 3 to 4 minutes. Turn into shallow serving dish or platter, and arrange mashed sweet potatoes, to which lemon rind has been added, as border around stew. Sprinkle sweet potatoes with minced parsley. Makes 4 generous servings.

SCALLOPED SAUSAGE AND MACARONI

1 pkg. macaroni chopped, cook-
2 cups medium ed sausage
white sauce 1/2 cup bread
1 1/2 to 2 cups crumbe
Boil macaroni; put in greased casserole in alternate layers with sauce and sausage. Pour white sauce over top and cover with crumbs (slightly buttered); bake in moderate oven (375 deg. F.) for 20 to 25 minutes, or until crumbs are browned. Spaghetti may be used in place of macaroni. Makes 6 to 8 servings.

PORK PIE

2 cups cooked 1/2 cup sweet
pork, diced cider or
5 tart apples apple juice
1 1/2 tsp. sugar Pie dough

Line buttered casserole with pie dough. Place on the dough a layer of pork, then a layer of sliced apples; sprinkle with sugar; repeat, add cider or apple juice and cover with dough. Make gashes in top crust and brush with beaten egg diluted with 2 tsp. milk. Bake until crust is well browned in 425 deg. F. oven for 30 minutes. Makes 4 to 5 servings.

Join the Kitchen Commandos! Save waste kitchen fats for explosives. Take them to your meat dealer.

Broadway

By Dorothy Kilgallen

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NEW YORK, March 6—Ann Sheridan and Steve Hannagan are wearing twin rings. That rumor is around again—the one about Abbott and Costello splitting. . . . The Barry Sullivan are lullabying. . . . Amos Carter's daughter Ruth is True Davis' best girl again. She's wearing his Navy wings. . . . Ex-prizefighter Packey O'Gara is having his grammar polished by Marguerite Walz, Philadelphia debutante-maker. . . . Isn't Frank Sinatra in the market for a racing stable, a la Bing? . . . Tony and Renee De Marco will appear in New York simultaneously in April—but not together. Tony will dance at the Roxy; Renee will decorate Lou Walters' show, "Slap Happy." . . . The Hobo News, of all publications, will name Maggi McNellis, of all people, as their official pin-up. . . . Pearl Ellis has switched her affections from George Raft to a New Englander with plenty of moolah. . . . Margo Gaylor of the Leon and Eddie's chorus, became Mrs. Jack Mann—he's the comedian last week. . . . Former playboy Charles Vollmer is gifting the citizens of Amsterdam, N. Y., with a new church.

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LIEUT. FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT, JR.'s first command will be of a destroyer escort, according to the Washington grapevine. . . . Ted Lewis will produce a musical comedy next season. . . . Myrna Loy's health has her intimates concerned. . . . Luba Malina, of "Mexican Hayride," has one of Washington's more prominent foreign diplomats sitting in the Winter Garden night after night—and in such expensive seats! . . . Johnny Long, the bandleader, will go juvenile in the film, "Naughty Nineties." . . . Burns Mantle may become a radio drama commentator. . . . Sally Stuart, the Sammy Kaye thrush, is plotting a spring wedding with her Marine. . . . Elmer Rice's lectures on the film industry up Connecticut way are the talk of the cinema set. He minces no words. . . . The Army and Navy Screen Magazine, a two-reel short subject designed for service men only, is expected to revolutionize the presentation of newsreels after the war.

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IS THERE a possibility of Ed Wynn and Judy Garland teaming for a radio stint? . . . Did you hear about the meeting last week concerning a revival of burlesque in New York? . . . Is that Tony Moreno doing the Hollywood spots with Irene Castle? . . . Where will all the directors come from to coach the television productions?



ROOM AND BOARD



Who's Got the Button

By George E. Sokolsky

GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS can figure their annual income anytime they choose because it is fixed by Congress and is out of the taxpayers' money. On the whole, a low earning crowd, the government employes, with the exception of

the postmen who have been robbed, get just about what they deserve. They usually are folks who, avoiding enterprise and initiative, go where security raises its lazy head. I prefer the high-spirited American who seeks fame and fortune in an independent business which he creates and owns such as a grocery store or a newspaper route or something that represents risk and venture, hard work and independence.

Government officials know exactly what they get. That is their security. They never can get more or less without scheming for it, and they would know all about that long in advance by inter-office grapevine. But the enterprising, constructive citizen cannot always figure his income in advance.

How can a doctor know how many of his patients will be sick? How can a lawyer tell what business will come to him? How can a grocer and butcher know what income will be left to him after the OPA gets through with him? How can the mortician know how many corpses will come his way?

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BUT THE TREASURY says to all good citizens that on April 15 they are to estimate their earnings for the coming year. That

demand is so funny that it just makes liars out of a lot of ordinarily honest Americans. It is like the OPA announcement that beef points are lower—not by much—on the same day that they gyp the public of four points a month by putting in a new system.

It is like saying to a retailer, "Tell your customer that you can't sell butter because you can't afford to OPA ceilings and hope that he will remain your customer long." That wisdom turns most grocers into black-marketeers. It is like that wonderful fairy tale about releasing food from warehouses because more space is needed for new stores and you go find the released food! It never showed up where I live; not on the points I have.

★ ★ ★
I HATE to lie. I hate to sign my name to anything I don't know anything about. Yet, on April 15, I shall have to tell Mr. Morgenthau how much money I expect to earn in 1944. I hired an accountant to figure it out from past performances but he wants data and how can a retailer of newspaper and magazine articles, speeches and lectures, and sporadic advice to those who need it know what his earnings will be. It just can't be done with any degree of accuracy—but I shall try to do my best with my fingers crossed.

I wonder why Mr. Morgenthau wants this estimate. He has the 1943 figures as well as those of 1942. And his statisticians ought to be able to estimate, from past performances as well as from the probable national income to be produced, much of 1944 by the circulation of public moneys through war contracts. His guess would have to be based upon the war continuing for the whole of 1944, but so would everybody else's. Vast changes in gross and net earnings will occur the moment the war is over. In fact, plenty of changes in earnings may take place after election day when lots of government employes may find it smart to resign quickly. So who can estimate about what?

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I SUGGEST that the guessing contest scheduled for April 15 be cancelled. It has already been postponed a month from March 15. I suggest if it can't be cancelled, it might be postponed until December 31, when all good men and true know the worst and the best for the particular year in question. On that date, it is usually possible to tell the truth without any need for guessing, estimating, approximating at uncertainties and imponderables. This is constructive advice, Mr. Morgenthau.

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Star Shine

By Sidney Skolsky

HOLLYWOOD, March 6—Ruth Hussey recently played an Army camp and they banner-lined her visit with "The Magnificent Hussey In Camp."

The soldiers go for her. Yet, when she started in pictures she heard, "That Hussey girl is a good actress, but she ain't got no allure." Which meant that she hadn't any sex appeal; that she didn't have what it takes to get you.

She was afraid her option wouldn't be lifted, so this red-checked actress went over to the wardrobe department and Ruth Hussey borrowed a sinking black lace dress. Then she visited a Metro executive and talked about her option, new type of roles, had a screen test to prove what she could do. She made the screen test. It reeked allure!

Now she is playing various type roles as witness "The Uninvited," "Marine Raiders" and "Tender Comrade," and the soldiers will tell you that she has what it takes. She is five feet five and a half inches tall, weighs 125 pounds, has dark brown hair, gray eyes, and says she has "the soul of a Persian Princess and the conventions of a Puritan ancestor."

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SHE MADE her world debut in Providence, R. I., on Oct. 30, 1915. She was always a girl who stayed close to her family, despite her varied career. She went from Pembroke College, where she got a Bachelor of Philosophy degree, to a secretarial position in Ann Arbor, Mich. She has been a painter, an author, salesgirl, fashion adviser, and radio commentator.

She was fashion commentator on Station WPRO for a year. She told the ladies of Providence how to dress, where to shop, and the latest in cooking devices. She can't even boil water.

After doing various roles in many plays, she was signed for the movies by Metro. She studies her role in a picture by having her secretary read the part to her. After she has heard the lines enough, she remembers them. She always comes on the set prepared. When she does blow in her lines, she hums. She sketches the other performers on the set but seldom shows them the finished drawing.

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SHE IS MARRIED to a soldier,

Lieut. Robert Longenecker. They first met when he was a civilian, connected with a radio agency. The meeting took place in a book store, where they both were looking over some old copies of Dickens. They started talking, discovered they both liked Dickens, and that they had a date to meet the next day to discuss a radio program. She kept that next day date and the romance was on.

They were married when he was Pvt. Longenecker, stationed at Santa Ana. Then the newlywed used to get up every morning at 5:45 to have breakfast with her groom, who came in every evening from his Santa Ana soldiering to be with his bride, despite the fact that he had to be back at camp by seven the next morning.

During those early weeks, Bob left a pair of his shoes to have repaired. When she took them to the shoemaker she asked for a check. "Why, Miss Hussey, wouldn't you recognize the shoes?" asked the repair man. "Oh, I don't believe so," she answered. "You see, I've only been married a couple of weeks."

They have a nice house in Brentwood. The favorite room is the combination snack bar and library, and on the door of this room there is printed, "The Dickens Room."

Horoscope

By FRANCES DRAKE

Monday, March 6, 1944

IF TODAY IS YOUR BIRTHDAY—Most everything appears beautiful to this fine, clean-minded, magnetic person. You can be a comfort to those in sorrow, but should not take on too many burdens. Do you often become restless? Will enjoy investigating matters to fullest degree. Don't permit lack of self-confidence to retard your progress, Courage through prayer! Birthdate of: Oliver Wendell Holmes, noted jurist; Alvan Clark, maker of first achromatic lens in U. S.; Claire Trevor, screen actress.

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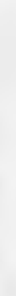
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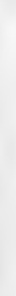
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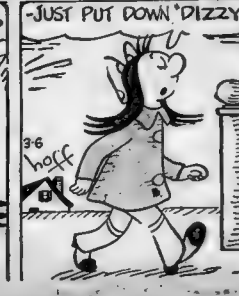
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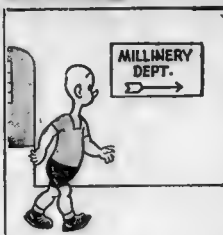
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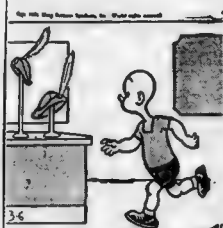
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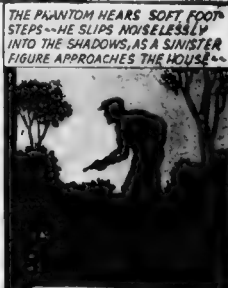
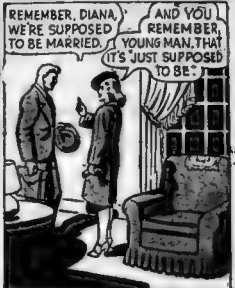
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Tropical Visions Boom; Race Fans Jam Hotels

By JACK CONWAY

CORAL GABLES, Fla., March 6—With race-goers still talking of Eddie Arcaro's great ride that enabled Four Free-doms to defeat Sun Again by a nose in the \$25,000 Widener, the racing picture turned to Tropical Park today, where a 30-day meeting gets underway. Post time is 2 o'clock instead of 2:30 as at Hialeah.

With plenty of the better thoroughbreds in Florida, the Tropical Park meeting is certain to be very successful. The attendance and mutual figures will also be bounding forward. Thousands of persons who planned to leave Florida early this month have been unable to do so because of railroad reservations and will have to remain here for several weeks. This condition will benefit the race track as well as the hotels. The hotels, with the highest prices since the boom days of 1924-25, are still filled to capacity.



Joe Timilty

The Tropical Park meeting will be featured by the Tropical Park Handicap, over a distance of one mile and a furlong on closing day, April 8. There will also be four other features which will each call for a purse of \$5,000. The Orange Blossom, a four and half furlong event for male two-year-olds, will be run next Saturday.

5 Million to Florida

Florida has never before seen as many big bettors. The daily average of \$735,723 at the Hialeah Park meeting gives some idea of the amount of fresh money there is in circulation here this season. It indicates that when the New England tracks open they will also surpass their last season's figures which were record breakers. The state of Florida will receive almost \$5,000,000 from horse and dog racing this season. There is a 15 per cent take at horse and dog tracks and the state receives a large slice of the spoils. The fact there are so many tourists in Florida makes it possible for a track to operate successfully even with a 15 per cent take.

Timilty at Races

Former Police Commr. Joe Timilty planned to attend the Tropical Park opening. Timilty with former Ambassador Joseph was with former Ambassador Joseph P. Kennedy's party at the closing day of racing at Hialeah Park. Timilty stated that he planned to devote his time in helping returning servicemen get established in business.

The former police official called attention to the fact he conducted entertainments for servicemen in Boston even before the USO was organized. Timilty has also been active in the youth movement in this country.

It is known that Timilty would be interested in securing part of a horse track. His name has at times been associated with syndicates that have been trying to purchase Suffolk Downs.

I learned that Pres. James E.

Dooley and some of his associates at Narragansett Park have made inquiries in regard to purchasing the stock holdings of the late Joseph Widener in Hialeah Park. There have been some conversations with Joseph P. Kennedy on this matter. It is understood Kennedy will be given the first right to purchase the Widener stock if it is placed on the market. The former ambassador now owns \$300,000 worth of stock in Hialeah Park. This was the block of stock he purchased from Col. Edward R. Bradley.

Judge Murphy at Races

Judge Joseph Murphy, who will be a steward at Suffolk Downs this year, has been attending the Florida races. He has held several conferences with Steward Herman Conkling of Suffolk Downs and Racing Secretary Charley McLennan who are also here.

"Racing," Judge Murray told me, "will never be killed by the public. If the sport is ever killed, it will be done by the people in racing. This was the case with liquor. The public didn't bring about prohibition. It was the result of wrong things done by people in the liquor business."

"We are going to throw every possible safeguard around racing at Suffolk Downs. We plan to have a meeting of the stewards at 10 o'clock each morning at which all matters of interest will be taken up. We shall hold hearings before he makes any suspensions or order any fines. In this way we shall have an opportunity to hear all of the evidence and make fair decisions and ones which will safeguard the future of racing."

Pics Win Last Game of Year

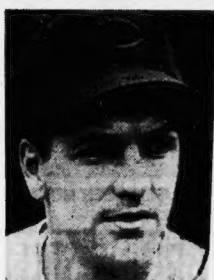
The banner announcing that the Olympics were the new champions of the Eastern Amateur League hung from the roof and to prove that their new honor was no mistake, the Pics downed the Philadelphia Falcons, 4 to 1, in the last game of the regular season at the Garden.

Besides the new banner the fans were treated to something different in a hockey game—one long and one short period plus a new record for continuous play of 10½ minutes without a whistle.

With the locals leading, 2 to 0, the first period was cut short at 17:46 when Red Henry was hit on the nose, necessitating his removal from the game for medical attention. The extra time was added on to the second frame and that's where the new record for unbroken play came in. Both teams dashed up and down the ice, pasting each others goal with all kinds of shots, but the continuity was unbroken as neither was offside or no infractions were spotted by the officials.

Class B Pairings Set For Tech Hoop Classic

Drawings in the Class B Division of the annual Tech Tourney to be held on the New \$10,000 Boston Garden basketball court were announced this afternoon by Director Henry McCarthy—with a newly arranged starting time of 2 p. m. Wednesday afternoon.



LOU BOUDREAU
His Draft Board Silent

Boudreau Pushes Plans for Indians Despite I-A Rating

CHICAGO, March 6 (AP)—Lou Boudreau, manager of the Cleveland Indians, who recently was classified I-A, is going ahead with plans for the club's spring training.

The 26-year-old Indian manager said that he will leave Sunday for Lafayette, Ind., where the American League team will open spring training a week from today at Purdue University.

Since notified of his I-A classification, Boudreau said he has heard nothing further from his draft board.

Sports Mirror

By the Associated Press
TODAY A YEAR AGO—Charles T. Fisher's Amber Light defeated favored Ocean Wave in Louisiana Derby at New Orleans.

THREE YEARS AGO—Billy Conn, 181, knocked out Danny Hassett, 204½, Philadelphia, in fifth round of Washington bout.

FIVE YEARS AGO—Don Budge and Ellsworth Vines finished their pro tennis tour at Montreal with Budge winning 22 matches to 17 for Vines.

Honors for being the first team in Garden history to step on the newly laid floor will go to Framingham and Providence high schools.

Pairings of the other contests with teams shifting every half hour will find Belmont tangling with Newburyport in the nightcap of the first twin bill, and Braintree vs. Story (Manchester) and Lexington, defending champion, vs. Methuen in the second half. The Class B competition will carry through until 6 p. m. when Class A will pick up for its night session.

First round rivals in the opening night session, announced earlier, will find New Bedford meeting Haverhill; Waltham facing Brockton; Attleboro, defending champion, colliding with Medford, and Somerville, pre-tourney favorite, battling North Quincy.

Fourteen of the 16 coaches whose teams will be participating had their first preview of the new Garden boards in a meeting at the Hotel Manger over the weekend. All were excited and pleased that Garden officials were welcoming the schoolboys to be the first to play on these new boards.

New Pro Grid Loop in View

PITTSBURGH, March 6 (AP)—The Pittsburgh Post-Gazette said a meeting to organize a new major professional football league of coast-to-coast proportions would be held here "within 30 days."

A confab was originally scheduled for yesterday, the newspaper asserted, but adverse traveling conditions forced an eleventh hour postponement. No indication was given as to the size of the proposed league, but the article said 10 men were to attend the session today.

The Post-Gazette added: "Looking forward to post-war days, the new circuit anticipates doing all its traveling by air. This will enable a coast-to-coast league to operate smoothly, a problem which barred far West franchise seekers from the National League in the past."

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BOSTON EVENING AMERICAN, MON., MARCH 8, 1944

Fans were given a preview of the country's two outstanding featherweights today when National Boxing Ass'n champion, Phil Terranova, New York, and Sal Bartolo, East Boston, arrived here and started final training for their title bout Friday night.

Terranova will be risking his crown to the No. 1 challenger at the Garden Friday in the 15-round feature of the Goodwin A. C. fight show.

Terranova will go through a pair of lively sessions against sparring mate, Bill Cunningham, and Sammy Garcia, Quincy, both of whom are expected to be on the supporting card. He will work out at Sam Price's gymnasium on Friend st., North End, where he will continue his training all week.

Bartolo is intent on proving to the fans that he's a better fighter than the challenger who met Willie Pep last summer in his first crack at the title. Working out at Kelly and Hayes gymnasium, Bartolo knows that he is in for a severe testing by Terranova but he's intent on tagging the champion more than once. He had a perfect tune-up against Frankie Rubino, victory over Lulu Costantino, two weeks ago, winning all 10 rounds on the cards of all three judges.

The eight-round semi-final will pit Whistlin' Willie Roach, New York, against Larry Bolvin, Providence, R. I. The remainder of the card will be announced shortly.

Bouts in Lynn Tonight

Wild (Bill) McDowell, Dallas, Texas, middleweight, will give Waddell Washington of Worcester, plenty of trouble tonight in the feature eight round bout at the Casino A. C. Lynn. McDowell is one of the best club fighters in the game, and fistic fans always get a run for their money when they see him in action.

McSpaden Wins Again

GULFPORT, Miss., March 6 (AP)—Harold "Jug" McSpaden of Philadelphia fired a three-round par 68 in the final round to win first place in the \$4500 Gulfport open golf tournament. Sammy Byrd, winner of the New Orleans open last Monday, was "second with a four-round total of 282, six strokes above McSpaden.

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Lavalle Takes 440 Ice Throne

Leo LaValle of Rhode Island won the senior men's 440 final in the feature race on the card of the 1944 New England Indoor Speed Skating Championships, sponsored by the New England Skating Club at the Arena last night. LaValle was awarded a trophy for the fifth straight year for compiling the highest total points throughout the season.

The Senior Women's final in the 440 was a thriller, with the national champion, Carmelita Landry of Fitchburg, nosing out Bea Amann at the finish line. Miss Landry was hurt in this race and had to pass up the 880 and mile, which went to Miss Amann.

The patrons were given an extra treat when Gretchen Merrill of Newton, National Women's Figure Skating Champion appeared to give an exhibition of skating perfection. Miss Merrill skated in two numbers and was loudly applauded.

Pirates Sign 19

PITTSBURGH, March 6 (AP)—All but 10 of the 29 players on the Pittsburgh Pirates' roster were signed up for 1944, but President William E. Benswanger said he anticipated no difficulty in getting the rest of the signatures before training camp opens at Muncie, Ind., March 15.

BRUINS STILL HAVE CHANCE FOR PLAYOFFS

By BILL GRIMES

Unable to protect a two-goal lead which they carried into the final period, the Bruins had to be contented with a 4-4 draw with the Rangers last night at Madison Square Garden, where 15,466 rabid fans laid their hard-earned money on the line to root for a club which has been batted from pillar to post all season.

The Rangers stopped Bill Cowley, who had scored four goals and also figured in two of the other six tallies the Bruins ran in on Ken McAuley Saturday night, in his tracks. And, by keeping "Cowboy" Bill from scoring or setting up any scoring plays, the Blue Shirts eked out a draw, for Herbie Cain's three goals and one by Norm Calladine, weren't enough to make possible a decision favoring the Rossmen.

However, the Bruins are still in the fight for a play offs berth. Over the week-end, the Toronto Maple Leafs lost both ends of a home and home series with Les Canadiens. So Saturday's win and last night's tie over the Rangers moved the Rossmen three points nearer to Coach "Hap" Day's charges but there still remains a margin of two and one-half games separating the two clubs.

Despite the fact that they have another home and home series to play with the Detroit Red Wings, the Chicago Blackhawks by virtue of last night's victory over the world's champions seem to be over the hump and pretty well established in a play-off berth.

After Les Canadiens clinched the N. H. L. title, a majority of the hockey fans throughout this country and Canada predicted that Coach Dick Irvin would allow his players to ease off and rest up for the Stanley Cup series.

But they were wrong. They didn't appreciate the fact that Les Canadiens have been jealous of the Bruins for many years. And, Dick Irvin heard plenty about the Bruins before he went to Montreal.

For two months or more, Dick Irvin has kept his charges pepped up with two aims in mind, winning the N. H. L. title and then going on to shatter the all-time point mark of 77, which the Bruins set up when they were the Battling Bruins.

With six games to play, the Canucks are four points shy of the record. They are scheduled to play three games this week, Chicago, Detroit and Boston. They'll be in the Windy City Thursday night, back home Saturday to meet the Red Wings and then they'll make an all-day trip from the Quebec metropolis Sunday to tangle with the Rossmen at the Garden.

The Bruins will swing back into action again tomorrow night at the Garden against the Detroit Red Wings.

Autograph Hunters Tab Dodds' 4:10.2 Mi. Poor

By HUCK FINNEGAN

JACK RYDER had plenty on his mind today as he prepared to resume operations at BC's board track. First, he was to see Dean Mulcahy over Herb McKenley's ineligibility.

Causus belli: Could, or could not, McKenley run the 600 special at New York's K. of C. meet Saturday? Frank Brennan wants to pit the fleet West Indian against Steamboat Fulton and Jim Herbert. But McKenley was declared ineligible on the eve of the intercollegiate. Naturally he couldn't represent BC there, but Brennan is hoping BC will let him run unattached in New York. So is Ryder.

Second, both the New York and Cleveland Caseys want a BC relay in their meets. Without McKenley BC has little. So Ryder today planned to look over novices Ray Gorman, John "Jake" Driscoll, Henry Foley and John Doherty to see if they have talent enough Jack Ryder to make a respectable showing.

Third, Jack was a bit perplexed over the attitude of track fans who tell Gil Dodds he's "lousy" if he fails to break 4:10. Yes, that actually happened Saturday night at the IC4-A meet. Hark to Ryder:

What Was Wrong?

"I WAS sitting with Dick Gill and Greg Rice when a late arrival asked who had won the IC4-A mile. When he was told 'Burnham in 4:20' he mumbled '4:20. That's terrible.' Then after the big mile a couple of youngsters came in the dressing room for Gil's autograph. They got it, and said 'Gee, you were lousy tonight. Only 4:10.2. You did 4:08 in the Baxter. What was wrong tonight?'

"Imagine it!" whistled Ryder. "I never thought I'd see the day when a 4:10.2 mile was considered 'lousy.' Gosh, when I was running there was only one man in New England who ever broke 4:30. He was Elmer White of Cambridge and believe me, he was considered some punkins. Why Tommy Conniff for years held the world record at 4:17, and you can remember the furore when John Paul Jones did 4:14.4 just before World War I.

"Now Dodds is traveling faster than all the Fazio Nurmis, Joe Rays, Tommy Conniffs and George Tinclers that ever lived, and yet he's 'lousy.' I only wish some of his critics would try to run a five-minute mile themselves. They might appreciate what 4:10 means."

Hulse's Cute Plan

HERE'S the inside story of Bill Hulse's pace against Dodds Saturday, and please don't ask where it came from.

Hulse knew he hadn't recovered sufficiently from his strep throat to give Dodds a battle over the full mile route. But he could run a bang-up three-quarters. Recall, Dodds did 3:01 en route to his national indoor title the previous

week but wasn't credited with a world record because only two timers caught him at the three-quarters post. That oversight was corrected for the IC4-A invitation mile, and Hulse had a two-fold plan when he went to the mark: (1) he'd upset Dodds' strategy by grabbing the lead and holding it, and (2) he'd run his heart out for three-quarters, be credited with a new world record for the distance, step off the track and let Dodds suffer it out. If he could take enough out of Dodds in those three blistering quarters for Ollie Hunter to catch him on the last lap, so much the better. Then Dodds' win streak would be broken. That would be something.

Everything broke in Hulse's favor. He drew No. 2 position, Dodds No. 6. Hulse was first, Dodds fifth at the important first corner. At one point in the early laps, Dodds was 25 yards behind the flying Dutchman, still scrambling for position. Hulse ripped off the first quarter in 58, the half in 2:00.2. Dodds didn't catch him until lap No. 5. Much larger than Dodds, Hulse fended him off, making him swing wide and ride the corners high. Dodds tried again to pass him on the 6th, 7th and 8th laps, Hulse, with the three-quarters record in mind, was determined to hold the lead to the point.

Lacking Cunningham's "Jump," Dodds couldn't do much about it. And the constant jockeying was taking something out of him. But just before the ¾ post was reached Dodds finally blasted his way past and Hulse immediately stepped off the track.

Reports said he "collapsed." Only mentally. He was simply burned up because Dodds caught him before the ¾ mark. He didn't believe even Gunder Hagg could do that.

Still, to some, Dodds is "lousy" if he doesn't beat 4:10. Hard to figure, eh?

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	W	L	T	Pts	For	Agst
Montreal	33	4	7	73	202	93
Detroit	22	16	6	50	183	154
Chicago	21	19	4	46	161	167
Toronto	20	22	4	44	186	163
BOSTON	17	23	5	39	194	231
New York	6	35	4	18	65	276

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